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Big Reshuffle In British Cabinet

Thirty Members Of Parliament Affected

More Resignations And New Appointments

Attlee Defies Extreme Left-Wing Pressure

LONDON, October 7, (Reuter): The British Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee tonight announced his long-awaited reshuffle in Britain's Labour Government designed to strengthen his Cabinet and bring forward younger men for a new attack on the nation's economic problems.

The changes completed the reconstruction begun eight days ago when Mr. Attlee appointed Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister of Economic Affairs, with overriding control of five departments handling Trade and Commerce.

The 31-year-old Secretary of Overseas Trade, Mr. Harold Wilson, was then promoted to Sir Stafford Cripps' post of President of the Board of Trade, and the veteran Labour Minister Mr. Arthur Greenwood was asked to retire.

MORE RESIGNATIONS

Tonight's changes were:—

Minister of War, Mr. Frederick Bellenger and Minister of Supply, John Wilmot resigned.

Lord Privy Seal Lord Inman also resigned and was succeeded by Viscount Addison, who left the Ministry of Commonwealth Relations.

Minister of Fuel, Mr. Emanuel Shinwell becomes Minister of War without a seat in the Cabinet.

Secretary for Scotland, Mr. Joseph Westwood, and Minister of Pensions, Mr John Burns Hynd, also resigned

NEW APPOINTMENTS

The new appointments are:

SECRETARY FOR COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS: Mr. Philip Noel-Baker;

SECRETARY FOR SCOTLAND: Mr. Arthur Woodburn;

SECRETARY FOR AIR: (Mr. Arthur Henderson.

Mr. Hugh Gaitskell takes Mr. Shinwell's place as MINISTER OF FUEL.

The new Minister of Supply is Mr. G. A. Strauss, the new Minister of Pensions, Mr. George Buchanan; Mr. John Wheatley becomes Lord Advocate succeeding G. A Thomson, who is appointed Lord Justice Clerk in succession to Lord Moncrieff who resignation on grounds of illhealth was announced yesterday.

ONE LESS IN CABINET

The Cabinet is reduced in number from 19 to 18. More than 30 members of Parliament are involved in the changes.

NEW JUNIORS

New Junior Ministers are:

JOINT PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE— Mr. George Alfred Brown.

PARLIAMENTARY UNDER-SECRETARY, COLONIAL OFFICE:—Lt.-Col. David Rees-Williams.

PARLIAMENTARY UNDER-SECRETARY, COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS:—Mr. Patric Gordon Walker.

PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY, FUEL MINISTRY:—Mr. Alfred Rubens.

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SCOTTISH OFFICE JOINT PARLIAMENTARY UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE: John James Robertson;

MINISTRY OF SUPPLY JOINT PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES: Maj. John Freeman and Mr. John Henry Jones;

MINISTRY OF TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY: Mr. Evelyn Mansfield King;

BOARD OF TRADE PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY FOR

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ATTLEE DETERMINED

LONDON, Oct. 7. (Reuter): Prime Minister Clement Attlee's determination to defy extreme left-wing pressure in reforming his Government was demonstrated by the wholesale British Government reshuffle announced tonight, cables Fraser Wighton, 'Reuters' political correspondent.

Stop Press

SIR ZAFRULLAH CONDEMNS PARTITION OF PALESTINE

LAKE SUCCESS, NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (Reuter): Pakistan's Sir Zafrullah Khan told the United Nations Palestine Committee today that the proposed partition plan for Palestine was "physically and geographically a monstrosity"

INDIA'S CHARGE AGAINST DUTCH

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct 7. (U.P.A.): India's M. F. Pillai charged the Dutch with major responsibility for continued fighting in Indonesia and urged the Security Council "to insist that both armies be withdrawn to pre-war positions Without such a withdrawal it is futile to hope for a restoration of peace in Indonesia".

NEW COCHIN CHINA CABINET

PARIS, Oct. 7 (Reuter). A new Cochin-Chinese Cabinet was formed by Gen. Nguyen Van Xuan today and will be presented to the Consultatice Council for approval tomorrow.

FACILITIES FOR LEAGUE GUARDS

LAHORE, Oct. 7 (API.) The West Punjab Government today withdrew the ban on parade in military formation of the Muslim League National Guard and appealed to thtm to undertake proper programme of military training and promised them proper facilities in this connection.

SOUTH AFRICA WARNS U. N.

LAKE SUCCESS, Oct. 7 (UPA). South African H. G. Lawrence sternly rejected any United Nations meddling in its internal affairs as the General Assembly's Trusteeship Committee resumed debate on southwest Africa with consideration of two resolutions recently submitted by India and Denmark.

Liaquat Says

WAR BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN IS SUICIDAL FOR BOTH

LAHORE, Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): The Pakistan Premier, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, broadcasting from the Radio Pakistan, Lahore, this evening said that those who had the slightest political sense know that any conflict between Pakistan and India was suicidal for both.

He appealed to all citizens to help suppress disorder which was the "greatest of all national duties today" and warned due punishment to all irrespective of political, official or social position who thwarted peaceful progress of the country.

"The whole world knows it is not we who did greater wrong but I still consider it a disgrace for Pakistan that in certain parts the majority has failed in duty to protect minority, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan said.

EARTHQUAKE HITS PARTS OF GREECE

ATHENS, Oct. 7. (Reuter): Houses were destroyed and casualties were caused in several regions of Greece yesterday during an earthquake, stated by Athens Observatory to have been centred 142 miles south-west of Athens, the Athens news agency reported

NO-CONFIDENCE MOTION AGAINST C. P. CABINET

(From Our Correspondent)

NAGPUR, Oct. 7.

The no-confidence motion against the C. P. Ministry about which a requisition was submitted to the Congress Party Secretary late last night has been convened for tomorrow, Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the Premier's residence. The Ministerial Group was active today and have collected 64 signatures in a party of 92 members expressing confidence in Ministry and demanding open voting on the no-confidence resolution.

The Congress Assembly Party meeting which was held this evening at the Premier's residence accepted the resignations of Mr. Kunjilal Dube, Chief Parliamentary Secretary, and Dr. Bhagel, Parliamentary Secretary to ex-Minister Hasan.

Minister Deshmukh from Berar has been asked to clarify his position 'vis-a-vis' the no-confidence resolution sponsored by his Berari supporter. Mr. Deshmukh has asked for time and is likely to submit resignation before the Party meets tomorrow. No-confidence sponsors are meeting tonight to discuss the situation and they are not unlikely to withdraw the resolution.

SUHRAWARDY MEETS JINNAH

KARACHI, Oct. 7 (UPI). Saheed Suhrawardy, Mahatma Gandhi's peace emissary and Choudhry Khaliquazaman, U.P. leader, met Mr. M. A. Jinnah, Governor-General of Pakistan, again this afternoon.

It is learnt that they discussed the settlement of the minority problem in the two Dominions and the problem of searches of the evacuees' belongings at the Karachi port which Mr. Suhrawardy personnally visited on Sunday last.

The foundation stone of 1,000 two-roomed tenements for peons in the Govt. of India was laid at Aligunj New Delhi by Mr. N. V. Gadgil, Minister for Work, Mines and Power (Centre).

Removing Hardships Of "Criminal Tribes"

Bill To Restrict Movements Of Habitual Offenders Passed In Bombay Assembly

(From Our Special Correspondent)

POONA, Oct. 7: The Bombay Legislative Assembly transacted record business today in disposing of five bills and starting a debate on a Government motion envisaging a scheme of nationalisation of road transport in the Province of Bombay. The scheme will be initiated by April 1948 and completed in three years.

Besides the Bill making provision for restricting the movements of habitual offenders, the House passed four other Bills through all stages. The Bill to provide for the enhancement of penalties for contravention of the Essential Supplies Act is one of the measures in the armoury of Government in their war against blackmarkets.

While the Bill to amend the Motor Vehicles Act is designed to eliminate certain lacunae discovered in the working of the Act, the Bill to provide for the transfer and continuation of adjudications in trade disputes is intended to relieve the strain on the adjudicator, Sir H. V. Divatia and to make proper arrangements for the speedy disposal of these disputes.

The Bill to repeal the Bombay Municipal (Post-War Reconstitution Fund) Act is designed to permit the Bombay Municipal Corporation to divert part of its reserve fund amounting to 70 lakhs of rupees to other essential purposes such as road repairs, municipal buildings and extension of hospital facilities.

These Bills were passed without any debate.

RESTRICTIONS OF HABITUAL OFFENDERS

Earlier in the day, the House resumed the debate on the Bill to provide for the restrictions of habitual offenders. Messrs. L. B. Bhigardive, B. P. Gaikwad, M. C. Vakil, T. S. Jadhav, N. A. Patil, J. H. Shamsuddin and Shivbishalsing Harpalsing took part in the debate. The last named member made a plea that political workers should not be dragged in under the provisions of the Bill.

MORARJI'S CLARIFICATION

Morarji Desai replying to the debate stated that on July 15 the Government had passed orders prescribing measures to eliminate some of the hardships caused by a too free use of Criminal Tribes Act. Under these orders persons with no convictions or with one conviction were to be deregistered. Even habitual offenders with two to five convictions were to be taken off the register if their behaviour had been good for two years. Only confirmed criminal with more than five convictions were to be retained in the settlements. Some of the larger tribes which had shown a waning tendency to crime were to be de denotified. The smaller settlements were to be abolished. All this was proof of Government's anxiety to end the scheme of the Act as quickly as possible. But to let loose all those at present in the settlements without making proper and necessary arrangements to control their criminal tendencies would be misplaced mercy.

While assuring that it was not the intention of Government to use the provisions of the present Bill against any political offenders, he stated that where persons committed offences against persons and property or even caused continued breach of public peace they ought to come under the mischief of the Bill. The House passed the Bill through all readings without any further debate.

Liaquat Springs Surprise On Indian Muslims

Pakistan Closes Entry To All Refugees Except From East Punjab

NEW DELHI, Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, Premier of Pakistan, is believed to have communicated to the Government of India that the Pakistan Government would not be prepared to take in any refugees into Pakistan other than those, who came from the East Punjab.

For the present at any rate, Pakistan Dominion would only take in Muslim refugees from the East Punjab, and the East Punjab States, such as Patiala, Jind, Faridkot and Nabha. During his recent talks with the representatives of the Government of India, it is understood, the Pakistan Premier left no doubt that his Government would resist the coming in of any Muslims beyond the East Punjab to Pakistan.

A natural corollary of the stand taken by the Pakistan Government, it is interprted in political quarters here is that Pakistan, for the establishment of which an overwhelming majority of Muslims in the Indian Dominion worked is closed for them.

It is stated that the Indian Dominion has followed a different policy from that of the Pakistan Government with regard to the refugees. It is pointed out that a large number of non-Muslim refugees had arrived from Baluchistan and Sind, who are to be looked after either by the Indian or the Provincial Governments in India.

SEARCH OF REFUGEES

A second issue which, it is understood, was discussed between the two Governments, when Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan was here, referred to the search of the refugees. Both the Governments. It will be recalled, had issued a joint statement early last month that refugees would be permitted, transport facilities permitting, to carry whatever property they decided to take with them. Apart from the numerous searches in the West Punjab of non-Muslim refugees and confiscation of valuable property, it is pointed out here that the Sind Premier recently announced that the search of the fleeing refugees from his Province was a matter of Government policy. Doubts were raised by the Government of India as to whether the

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ECHO OF SLOVAK PLOT

337 Still Detained; 85 To Be Prosecuted

PRAGUE, Oct. 7. (Reuter): The investigation into the alleged Slovak plot to break up the Czechoslovak Republic and set up an independent Slovak State has now ended, it was officially announced here today.

Of the 380 people originally arrested, 337 were still detained, 85 would be prosecuted while not under arrest, and 58 had been released unconditionally, it was added.

Cost Of Living Soars Up

During August 1947, the working class cost of living index number for Bombay, with the average prices for the year ended June 1934 equal to 100 was 284, being ten points higher than in the preceding month. The index number for food articles advanced by nineteen points to 355.

In August 1947, the working class cost of living index number for Sholapur, with the average prices for the year ended January 1928 equal to 100 was 265, being seventeen points higher than in the preceding month. The index number for food articles advanced by thirty points to 290.

The working class cost of living index number for Jalgaon, with the average prices for the month of August 1939 equal to 100 was 334 in August 1947, being twenty points highe than in the preceding month.

HAMIED'S DINNER PARTY TO KRIPALANI

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Dr. K. A Hamied, M.L.C., gave a dinner on Tuesday evening at his house to Acharya Kripalani, the Congress President. Among those present were: Mr. Devidas Gandhi President of the All-India Newspapers Editors Conference and other members of the Standing Committee of the Conference.

PAKISTAN TERMS TO SOLVE JUNAGADH PROBLEM

Willingness To Discuss Plebiscite In Acceeding States

KARACHI, Oct. 7. (A.P.I.): A press note issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of Pakistan, tonight states: Government of Pakistan have carefully studied the two press notes recently issued by the Government of India on Junagadh States accession to Pakistan and regret to note that the case has been misunderstood both as to the legal position and facts. As the public in Pakistan have lately shown a great deal of interest in this matter, it is desired to state the correct factual position

The authentic constitutional pronouncement on the position of Indian States after the lapse of British Paramountcy is contained in the Cabinet Mission memorandum on States' Treaties and Paramountcy dated 12th May 1946 According o this document, on the Paramountcy Every Indian State becomes independent and sovereign and free to join either Pakistan or India. This position has throughout been accepted by the Pakistan Government, both in theory and practice, as the corner stone of its policy with regard to States This policy has been publicly announced by the Quaid-i-Azam and repeatedly re-affirmed by Cabinet Ministers and never once has it been departed from. The Dominion of India, however, appears to hold the view that it has the right to influence the choice of the States by various methods.

FULL LEGAL RIGHT

"Junagadh and other smaller Kathiawar States, such as Manavadar, Sardargarh, etc., which have acceded to the Pakistan Dominion have done so voluntarily and freely

They had full legal right to do so and Pakistan Government cannt recognise anybody's right to interfere with their free exercise of this right.

Certain interested parties are however determined to force these States to change their decision and to that end have used and are using all possible weapons at their command For nearly one month Junagadh and other States have been the victims of a complete economic 'blockade' including stoppage of essential food supplies coal, petrol and postal and telegraphic communications Troops have also been sent to the borders of the State and simultaneously attempts are being made to disrupt Junagadh administration from within. All this is being done on the ground that the accession of Junagadh is a threat to other Kathiawar States This proposition is patently absurd and does not bear examination

MANGROL AND BABARIAWAD

"The Government of India claim that Mangrol and Babariawad have acceded to India and therefore they have a right to protect their interests

The correct legal position is that neither Mangrol nor Babariawad have any independent constitutional status and therefore are not free to accede to any Dominion on their own initiative.

In fact both are part and parcel of Junagadh State. Apparently the sole object of the attempt to rope them in is to provide a semblance of justification for interference of the Indian Dominion in the matter of accession of Junagadh.

"The Government of Pakistan have made it quite clear that there can be no argument in regard to the legal right of Junagadh and other States to accede to Pakistan. In the interest of the maintenance of good relations between the two Dominions, however, this Government have offered to help in finding a solution to the situation which has been created in Kathiawar by the various measures undertaken by the Government of India.

ATTEMPT AT AMICABLE SETTLEMENT

Accordingly the Government of Pakistan have informed the Government of India of their willingness to refer for legal opinion such subsidiary matters as the legality or otherwise of Mangrol and Babariawad's accession to the Indian Union and to concert measures for allaying the apprehensions of both sides regarding the security of their respective frontiers

They have, however, pointed out that a condition precedent to any attempt at amicable settlement is the immediate withdrawal of all troops by the Government of India from Sardargarh and Batva and other small Taluqas in the area.

Pakistan undertakes on its side to advise Junagadh to withdraw simultaneously such Junagadh forces as may be present in Babariawad and not to send any troops to Mangrol, without prejudice to the claim of suzerainty which Junagadh has over them.

"The Pakistan Government have also informed the Government of India of their willingness to discuss conditions and circumstances in which plebiscite should be taken by any State or States.

KIDWAI'S BROTHER FATALLY STABBED

LUCKNOW, Oct. 7. (A.P.I.): Mr. Shafi Ahmed Kidwai (50) Administrator, Mussoorie Municipality, and younger brother of India's Communication Minister, Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai, was stabbed to death this morning at Mussoorie, according to a message received here.

Mr. Kidwai appears to have been attacked at some distance from his residence. When he did not return home from his usual morning walk today, a search was organised and his body was recovered at 11 a.m.

ISMAY LUNCHES WITH KING

LONDON, Oct. 7 (Reuter). Gen. Lord Ismay, Chief of Staff to Lord Mountbatten, Governor-General of India, lunched with the King at Buckingham Palace today.

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New York, Oct. 7

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New York, Oct. 7.

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No Political Differences Between Hindus & Muslims

Bihar Muslim Leaders' Statement

The following are extracts from a statement issued by Muslim leaders of Bihar belonging to Congress, League and other parties:—

"Whatever may have been the political differences between Hindus and Muslims in the recent past, such differences have no room in the new political set up of the country. We are all citizens of the Indian Union and the politics of the Union is our own politics. As citizens of this province we have our hearths and homes in its towns and villages in the building up and beautifying of which our forefathers have made notable contributions. It is, therefore, our bounden duty and privilege to put our shoulder on the task of building up the peace and prosperity of the province and of the country at large.

To enable us to take our proper share in the building up of the province we the Muslims of Bihar have to work hard to ameliorate our social, economic and educational advancement. We expect that the members of the majority community will extend their helping hands to enable us to pull our full weight in the task before us.

This being our determination it is but meet and proper that we should come forward and make our contribution to the restoration of communal peace and harmony by helping to remove those causes which have caused irritation and discord in the past. We have no desire to perpetuate the doleful memories of the recent communal riots and to continue the vicious circle.

We have been profoundly impressed and deeply touched by the peace effort of Mahatma Gandhi in Bihar and elsewhere, which has succeeded to a large measure in Bihar and Bengal and out of gratitude feel that we must strengthen his hands in the noble work.

SUGGESTION TO GOVERNMENT

With these ends in view we suggest that Government may evolve some methods:—

(i) to withdraw or compromise all cases arising out of the riots, its aftermath and also those arising as a result of administrative and police actions so that the Hindus and Musalmans may have chance to adjust their relations in the new conditions, and

(ii) to drop the idea of a Commission of Enquiry, so as not to rake up the bitter memories.

The communal cases as they are dragging on, instead of restoring peace will only disturb it without the least good to any one.

The Bakrid is approaching. We sincerely appeal to Muslims in Bihar that during this festival they should do nothing which may worsen the situation or increase the tension.

At the same time we would like to remind our Hindu brethren that is is now their responsibility to safeguard the interests of the minorities and to ensure religious freedom to them.

We repeat that our community should now concentrate their effort in ameliorating their social and economic conditions and everyone of us should realise that this can only be achieved in an atmosphere of peace and harmony. This is not a counsel of defeatism but is essential if we are to play a part in the country worthy of our past. Our ancestors contributed materially in the development of the country and in making India great. We believe that we can make greater contribution in the years to come.

The statement is signed by S. M. Latifur Rahman, M.L.A. (Leader Muslim League Legislative Party.) Tajamul Husain, M.L.A. (Deputy Leader, Muslim League Leg. Party). (Hazrat) Shah Minnatullah, Sajjadanashin Khanqah Rahmania, Monghyr. Maqbool Ahmad, M.L.A., (League) Bhagalpur. Ali Ahmad Buland Akhtar, M.L.A., (League) Bhagalpur. (Dr). S. M. Farid, M.L.A., (League) Darbhanga. (Nawab) Syed Mobarak Ali, M.L.C. (Independent) Shah Muhammad Umair, M.L.C. (Congress) Mehdi Hasan, M.L.A. (League) (Bihar Sharif). (Nawab) S. M. Mehdi, M.L.C. (League), Jamilur Rahman, M.L.C. (League). Syed Najmul Hasan, Ex-M.L.A. Abdul Malik, M.L.C. (League) Khwaja Ehsan Ahmad, M.L.A. (League). S. M. Ozair Munimi, M.L.C (Congress). A. A. Muhammad Noor, M.L.A. (Momin). Muhammad Yasin, M.L.A. (Momin) Ramzan Ali, M.L.A. (Momin) Muhammad Yasin, M.L.A. (Santal Parganas). (Momin). Muhammad Khalil M.L.A. Darbhanga (League) (Nawab) Ali Sajjad. Patna City (Nawab) Shah Wajia Husain Patna, S. Waris Ismail Patna City S. Ali Mohammed Ismail Patna City. S. Abrar Husain, (Maulavi) Usman Ghani. Nazim Imarat Shariat Phulwari Sharif, Abdul Qayum Ansari—Patna and (Dr.) Syed Mahmud.

Hindus Urged Not To Leave Sind

Quaid-e-Azam Opposed To Migration, Says Hidayatulla

KARACHI, Oct. 7 (UPI): "I have been asked by Quade-e-Azam Jinnah to give you the message that he does not want the minorities to leave Sind. The Quade-e-Azam is opposed to the exchange of population and even Gandhiji has asked you to stay where you are".

Thus declared Mr. Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, Governor of Sind addressing a meeting in Karachi last evening.

The Sind Governor told the audience that the Pakistan Ministers and Sind Ministers will be visiting different localities of the City to contact the minorities and restore confidence in them and assure full protection Police guards will be placed in business localities and the Government was considering a proposal to attach Magistrates with the police contingents to facilitate summary trials of persons occupying houses illegally, he added. Mr. Hidayatullah requested the victims of such unauthorised ejection to report to the police at once.

Continuing he observed that such incidents on a minor scale as in Sind were taking place every where, even in Bombay and the United Provinces and assured the minorities that his Government was doing everything possible to suppress lawlessness and take drastic action against law-breakers.

Concluding the Sind Governor appealed to members of all minorities, Hindus and others, not to leave Sind and expressed the confidence that those who left would return to Sind within three months.

The Governor was told that on account of the activities of lawless elements amongst the refugees not only Hindus but even Muslims of Sind had suffered, their cattle stolen and houses occupied by the refugees and they were thrown out of employment due to the economic deadlock.

REV. SCOTT GETS U. S. "VISA"

Will Present Petition On Behalf Of Africans To U.N.

LONDON, October 6, (Reuter): The Reverend Michael Scott, 38 years old crusading missionary, has now been granted a United States 'visa' to present a petition to the United Nations on behalf of more than 10,000 Africans, it was learned tonight.

The British National Council of Civil Liberties appealed to Mr. Henry A. Wallace, former American Vice-President, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt to intervene after Mr. Scott's first application had been refused.

The petition is from the Heroes and other tribesmen of south west Africa asking the United Nations not to allow South Africa to annex their territory.

Last March Mr. Scott was fined five sterling in Johannesburg for living among Africans without a permit, and went to jail rather than pay fine.

He went to South Africa from Britain 13 years ago and since then had been a consistent champion of the African cause.

Spaak Visits Truman At White House

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6, (UPA): Belgian Prime Minister Paul-Henri Spaak today visited President Truman at the White House, but afterwards said that he did not discuss any possible credit request or appeal of any kind.

The call was purely one of courtesy and for the purpose of conveying the best wishes of his country to Truman "for the great work the United States is the most important thing for Spaak said that the Marshall Plan is the most important thing for Europe.

Ambassador Silvercruys, who accompanied Spaak to the White House, implied that there had been some discussion of the Marshall Plan with Truman, but referred newsmen to acting Secretary of State Robert Lovett, who also was with Spaak in the White House visit.

Spaak returns to the United Nations, Tuesday.

CALCUTTA, Oct. 7, (U. P. I.): The West Bengal Government have promulgated the Calcutta Municipal Amendment Ordinance envisaging overhaul of the Calcutta Corporation constituencies in the first election after the commencement of this Ordinance.

The Ordinance provides for the election of 86 councillors by territorial constituencies and nine by specified constituencies, labour retaining two seats. Provision is made for the reservation of seats for Scheduled Castes and other minorities in proportion to their population.

Indo-Australian Relations

There Will Be Greater Reciprocity In Future, Says Engineer

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The immediate need of Australia is to increase its population and to build more houses, according to Mr. N.M. Zatakia, Engineer in Kamani Metal and Refinery Works, Bombay, who returned last week after an extensive ten-month study tour of Australia.

Mr. Zatakia, who visited important industrial centres in Australia, has little doubt that Australia would make great strides in commerce and industries in the near future.

"There seems little doubt that in future there will be greater reciprocity between India and Australia", he said and pointed out that the important contributing factor for the industrial development of Australia was the availability of cheap power for the wheels of industry. "There is great opportunity for the extension of existing industries and the establishment of new ones", he stated.

Further Evidence In "Pugree" Case

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Further evidence was aduced today in the case in which Dr. Mrs. Malinibai Sukhthankar, a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation stands charged with receiving a "pugree" of Rs. 10,000 before Mr. T. S. Vyas, Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court.

Inspector Padwal of the C.I.D. in the couuse of his evidence narrated the events leading to the arrest of Mrs. Sukhthankar. He stated that on July 4 he had other police officers stopped Mrs. Sukhthankar's son as he was coming in his car. He was then taken to the Malabar Hill branch of a bank. On inquiry they succeeded in tracing two deposits, one of Rs. 3,000 and another of Rs. 2,000 in the name of Mrs. Gulab B. Gokhale, daughter of Mrs. Sukhthankar.

Witness then described the dramatic circumstances under which the money was recovered by the police.

Further hearing will be resumed on Wednesday morning.

Victoriawalas To Celebrate Gandhi Jayanti

Mr. J. Kharodia Hon. Secretary, Bombay Hack Victoriawala Association writes:—

The owners of all the hack victoria gharries running in the city have arranged to hold a public meeting, under the presidentship of Mr. Y. M. Nuri (Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee) to celebrate Mahatma Gandhi's birthday at Belasis Road, near Umar Jamal's Stable, today at 9 p.m. (S.T.) arrangements are made for loud-speakers.

MINISTER NANDA

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Mr. Gulzarilal Nanda, Minister for Labour and Housing, Government of Bombay, who will arrive in Bombay this evening by plane from Ahmedabad, will leave for Delhi tomorrow morning also by air.

The Labour Minister is due to return to Bombay from Delhi on Saturday (October 11.)

CLOTH RATION TIME-LIMIT

The time-limit for completing the purchase of the current ration period's quota of rationed cloth has been extended upto October 21, 1947, in the case of cloth ration cardholders who had to complete their purchase by the end of September 1947. These card-holders can, therefore, make their purchase "upto October 21, 1947." No further extension will be granted.

MEASURES TO PRODUCE MORE SALT

NEW DELHI, Oct. 6, (API): The Government of India are taking measures to increase the production of salt which is in short sully today. It is learnt that the Central Administration is shortly to be transferred from the Ministry of Finance to that of Industry and Supply.

SCHEME FOR RECRUITING ADMINISTRATION PERSONNEL

NEW DELHI, Oct. 6.

Steps are being taken to devise a scheme for the recruitment and training of administrative personnel urgently needed by the Government of India. A Committee with Mr. Gorwalla, a Member of the Commodity Prices Board, as chairman has been set up to report to Government as soon as possible on this problem. The appointment of this Committee follows the findings of the Rajpal Committee which stated that there was a grave shortage of senior officers in the Central and Provincial Governments and recommended drastic cuts in various posts in the different ministeries.

MINE DETONATOR THROWN NEAR RAMADIER'S RESIDENCE

PARIS, October 6. (Reuter) A mine detonator was thrown into the garden next to the house of the French Prime Minister M. Paul Ramadier at Decazeville in South Central France, early this morning. No casualties or damage were caused.

Mr. Ramadier had left for Paris several hours before the detonator exploded.

DOLLAR-SAVING TALKS END

LONDON, October 6. (API): British Dominion sterling countries today wound up their dollar—saving talks after reaching general agreement on the need for close and continuous consultation on developments in the financial problems discussed, the British Treasury announced tonight.

The copies of all the reports of the seven Sub-Committees of the Provincial Industries Committee are now available on payment at the Government Book Depot, Charni Road Gardens, Bombay. The report of the Provincial Industries Committee containing its recommendations on a review of the reports of the Sub-Committees will be published separately.

France Returns 'Loges' To India

Impressive Ceremony In Masulipatam

MASULIPATAM, October 6 (API): "It is a new and clear affirmation of the French will to work ceaselessly to maintain and reinforce the true friendship already existing between our two countries," said M. Fouchet, First Secretary of the French Embassy in India, handing over the claims over the 'loges' in India to Mr. P. A. Menon, India Government's representative, at an impressive ceremony this evening at Frenchepet, Masulipatam.

M. Fouchet said: "The French Government having decided to hand over graciously the ancient French 'loges' to India, have instructed me to attend the ceremony on their behalf. From my point of view, this gathering here of representatives of two governments, together with those of the Madras Government and of French India, is a token of the will of both the countries to settle by friendly negotiations, all problems that may arise between them.

What are in fact these 'loges' that we are transferring to you? These small lots of land scattered over various Indian provinces are evidences of interests France has always shown to this country and her traditional desire to establish and maintain good relations with it.

Mr. P. A. Menon, thanking the French Government for their gracious gesture, said, "This is a happy ending of 100-year-old dispute. In view of the long-drawn-out controversy, it is a very happy augury that the Republic of France should desire as a token of goodwill to the newborn Indian Union to relinquish all claims to the loges at the present juncture.

The Government of India appreciate the spirit in which the offer has been made and feel happy at this first evidence of the long established and continuing friendship between the two countries.

I would take this opportunity of repeating again grateful thanks and sentiments of common bond and brotherhood which Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru had already conveyed to His Excellency the Foreign Minister of France."

RENT BILL CRITICISED

Tenants' Plea For Eliciting Public Opinion

BOMBAY, Sunday.

At a meeting of the Dadar-Matunga-Sion Tenants' Association, held at the Podar College with Mr. C. K. Narayanaswami in the Chair, the provisions of the proposed Bombay Rent Bill were considered. It was of unanimous opinion that several provisions of the Bill were not only conoxious and objectionable but also repugnant to natural justice and equity. The meeting took note of the grave popular discontent against the measure and hoped that the popular Ministry would not rush through a measure of such an objectionable character without giving the people an opportunity to dispassionately consider its provisions and to ventilate their objections and to submit their constructive suggestions to Government.

During discussion it was pointed out that, the new authority that was sought to be created to decide all matters of Tenant-Landlord dispute by the Rent Controller would not meet popular needs, and provisions in this resard in the Bill, it was further pointed out, and misconceived and might lead to interminable friction and bitterness were make conditions more miserable from every point of view. The opinion was expressed that in all matters of disputes of the kind the Bill sought to meet a popular Panchayat would be a more appropriate body than individual authority in the proposed Rent Controller. The meeting also decided to submit a memorandum to the Government with mass signatures in due time.

REST BEAT BOMBAY XI

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BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Owing to the fact that many selected players cried off at the last minute the two teams that took the field this evening were not as formidable as originally selected. Many new players were introduced into either side.

The match was utterly devoid of interest from a spectator's point of view and not many turned out to see this exhibition match. Brown gave another brrilliant display and was responsible for two of the three goals scored by his side. Middlecoat was another who performed well.

Hall converted a par from Brown in the first half to give his side the lead. In the second half Brown parted with the ball after doing some good work and Krishnamurthi who received it passed it on for Varde to score. Hall completed the tally from an apparently off-sides position.

THE TEAMS:

REST XI — Thingalaya (Tatas); Woodcock (Rangers) and Rathnan (Trades); Sampuya (Dockyards) Bloomer (Rangers) and Krishnan (Tatas): Robertson (Dockyards), Krishnamurthy (Tatas), Hall (Rangers), Brown (Rangers) and Warde.

BOMBAY XI— Sanjiva (Trades: Manuel (Trades) and Papen (Tatas): Middlecoat (Dockyards): Rasbard; (Trades) and Govind (Trades). Gardner (Rangers), Payne (Rangers) Adams (Rangers), Menezes (Aatas) and Tully (G.I.P.).

Another match has been arranged for Thursday.

CALCUTTA LAW COLLEGE BEAT KANPUR

LUCKNOW, Oct 6, (A.P.I.): Law College Calcutta had an easy victory over Golden Club, Kanpur in this evening's first round match of the Indian Footbal challenge shield by three goals to one. Kanpur team was no match for the Calcutta students. The match for the mow part was dull affair and was throughout one sided.

HIRJEE WINS BREAKS HANDICAP

CALCUTTA, Oct. 6. (A.P.I.): C. Hirjee, the National Amateur Billiards Champion, won the Sir Binod Mitter breaks handicap billiards tournament today by defeating B. Shaw in the final by 212 to 86 points.

India Cricket Team For Australia

CALCUTTA, Oct. 6 (A.P.I.): The Indian Cricket team to Australia will leave Dum Dum at 4 p.m. on Oct. 8 by air.

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Hightide: 06-32, 18-02. Lowtide: 13-12.
STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING: 3-30 p.m. (B.T.)

To-day's Engagements

SANSKAR MANDAL: Acharya Kripalani will speak on "India is Free—What Next?" at 6-15 p.m. today, in Jinnah Hall.

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS: Lecture on "World Problems and Theosophy" today at 6-15 p.m. at Jehangir Wadia Building, Opp. Flora Fountain.

BOMBAY TAMIL SANGAM: Talk on "Light and Shadow in Life" by Mr. M. Dandapani Pillai at the Sangam premises tonight at 8-30 p.m.

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY AND THE BOMBAY ART SOCIETY: Public meeting at 6-15 p.m. in the Durbar Hall (South Wing. Town Hall), to pass resolution of condolence on the death of Dr. Ananda K. Coomaraswamy. The Hon. Mr. Justice M. C. Chagla will preside. Dr. Mulk Raj Anand and Mr. Karl Khandalawala will address the meeting on the work of the late Dr. Coomaraswamy.

The meeting is open to the public.

BOMBAY GEOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION: Prof. K. T. Merchant, of Elphinstone College will deliver a lecture on "Russia" at Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Institute, Opp. Charni Road Railway Station, Queen's Road, today at 6 p.m.

BOMBAY UNION OF JOURNALISTS: Mr. M. S. M. Sharma, Editor the "Daily Gazette" will address members of the union on "Pakistan at Work" at the Club of the Union, Prospect Chambers Annexe, Hornby Road, at 6 p.m. today.

INDEPENDENCE DAY FILM: Exhibition of health, culture and documentary films of Independence Day at 7 p.m. at Gora Gandhi Compound, Arthur Road.

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BOMBAY VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION: Extraordinary Annual Conference at 4 p.m. at the Veterinary College, Parel. Rao Bahadur J. N. Mankar will preside.

B. P. PRINTERS' AND LITHOGRAPHERS' ASSOCIATION: Meeting of the Mg. Committee at 5-30 p.m. in the premises of the Bolton Fine Art Litho Works, Tardeo.

INDIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION: Is open from today (Wednesday) to Friday between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. exclusively for students.

FILMI MAZDOOR UNION. Meeting of workers of "Central Studio" today at 6-30 p.m. in Gujerathi Parties Hall, Vithalbhai Patel Road. When Sjt. Prithviraj Kapoor will preside and discussion will be held about further steps to be taken to get a redress to their demands and grievances.

DASTUR BODE'S LECTURE: Today at 6-15 p.m. at Alexandra Girls' School Hall, Waudby Road.

MAYOR'S RECEPTION TO CONGRESS PRESIDENT

MAYOR'S RECEPTION to Acharya Kripalani at Corporation Hall at 5-10 p.m.

ACHARY KRIPALANI TO ADDRESS: Acharya Kripalani, the Congress President, will address a Public Meeting today at 9 p.m. in "C" Ward at Mangaldas Road, Off Princess Street, Behind Devkaran Mansion. The Meeting is held under the joint auspices of the B.P.C.C. and the Bhuleshwar D.C.C. in connection with the Celebrations of the Gandhi Jayanti Week.

GANDHI JAYANTI: Entertainment programme and public meeting at 7 p.m. in Sanas Wadi by Bharat Mata Seva Mandal.

ALL KARNATAK SWADESHI EXHIBITION: Under the auspices of the District Local Board all Karnatak Swadeshi Exhibition is going to be held in Gadag in the last week of December on the spacious ground of the Municipal School. The map of the plot and the stalls is ready. All the Swadeshi dealers, merchants and manufacturers may write to Karnatak Swadeshi Exhibition Office, District Local Board, Dharwar, for further particulars.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

BOMBAY, Oct. 8.

244 m. (1,231 kc/s)—7-30 a.m. Geet Manthan 7-40 News (M) 7-50 News (G) 8-0 News (E) 8-15 News (H) 8-30 Shingul (Rabab) 8-45 G. N. Joshi (Pad, S. A. Shukla) 9-0 Krishna Udyavarkar (Aasavari) 12-0 p.m. Variety programme (H U and H) 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 Variety 1-25 News (H) 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Lunch Hour 4-20 Laxman Prasad Chaube (Gaud Malhar) 4-50 Abhang 5-0 Shin Gul (Rabab) 5-15 Jagdish Shaligram (Gauri) 5-35 Janardan Prabhaskar (Krut Geet) 5-45 Topic of Day 5-55 Locals 6-0 News (E) 6-10 News (H) 6-15 G. N. Joshi (Khamaj) 6-45 Samina Intiazali (Ghazal Iqbal) 7-0 Jagdish Shaligram (Khambawati) 7-30 Yeh Bamayi Hai: Bombay Ke Hotel Talk by S. S. Desnavi (H) 7-45 Bhavgeeten 8-0 News (M) 8-15 News (G) 8-30 Recitation from Lok-Geeto by Gokuldas Raichura 8-45 Ekach Pyalateel Chai Themb: Themb Dusara (meature written by Raja Badhe) (M) 9-0 News (E) 9-15 News (H) 9-30 B. B. C. News 9-40 Programme Parade 9-45 Civilisation on Trial Orthodox Christendom (E) 10-0 Laxman Prasad Chaube (Adana) 10-30 Krishna Udyavarkar (Jaijaiwanti).

41.44 m. (7,240 kc/s)—7-40 a.m. Geetmala 6-15 p.m. C Rural Listeners 7-35 Com. News 8-0 Krishna Udyavarkar (Gujarati Geet) 8-15 Samin Intiaz Ali (Ghazal Iqbal) 8-30 to 9-0 As in Bombay 1 9-0 G. N. Joshi (Bhoop) 9-30 Thumri 10-0 Chamer Music.

The recommendation of the Board of Basic Education regarding the preparation of a handbook for the guidance of teachers in Basic Schools has been approved by the Government of Bombay.

Police Unearth Underground Arsenal

19 Crude Bombs & Many Live Cartridges Seized

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

A miniature underground arsenal is alleged to have been unearthed by the Bombay C. I. D., at Gamdevi on Monday night.

The discovery of the arsenal was the climax to prolonged investigations carried on by Khan Saheb Umer Khan Pathan, Superintendent, C.I.D., Deputy Inspector Sawant and Sub-Inspector Bulsara.

The police suspected that there existed in the City some subversive bomb-manufactory, since the tragic bomb explosion in the Taj Talkies, some months back, when six persons were killed and over seventy injured.

Later there was an explosion at Breach Candy in connection with which the police arrested four persons.

On a statement made by one of them the C. I. D. pursued their inquiries more intensively and on Monday night they located this armoury in which they found 19 crude bombs, two revolvers, a large number of live cartridges and vast quantities of chemicals intended for the manufacture of crude bombs.

Alleged Attempt To Dupe Habib Bank

Four employees of the Habib Bank, Mohamedali Road Branch, were arrested by the Pydhoni police for alleged conspiracy to dupe the Bank.

The arrested persons included Saifuddin. Salebhoy Bhavnagarwala (token clerk), Moosa Kanji Ibrahim, Kaikobad Sawaksha Boatwala (assistant cashier and Dara Dhanjisha Todiwala (Head cashier).

It was stated that Bansilal Chaturbhuj, agent of Messrs. Santumal Rawaldas, Finance Brokers, presented a cheque for Rs. 65,000 drawn by his firm at the Habib Bank at Mohamedali Road. The Token Clerk who received the cheque gave a token ticket bearing number 589 to Bansilal and asked him to wait for payment. The cheque then passed through hands of other three suspects and ultimately the assistant cashier called the number of the token ticket that was written on the back of the cheque. A person came and presented the required token ticket to whom the amount was paid.

Bansilal, who waited till now for the payment of his cheque, is reported to have approached the Assistant Cashier and enquired of him whether he had received his cheque for payment. But he replied in the negative. Bansilal thereupon approached the Officer-in-charge. This officer after inquiries, found out that the cheque was already cashed. On further examination of the cheque, the Officer, it is stated found the signature of Bansilal being scored out from the back of the cheque and on its place one H. A. Rahman had signed. The token ticket number 589 was also scored out from the cheque it was alleged, and instead the cheque was bearing number 598, it was alleged.

The Officer-in-charge suspected a conspiracy to dupe the Bank and informed the police who arrested the above named employees of the Bank. They were remanded to police custody pending further investigation by the Presidency Magistrate Mazagaon Police Court.

Chloroform Trick In Alleged Robbery

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

While travelling in a Victoria yesterday morning with a stuffed money bag on his lap, Eracsha Darabsha Ooomrigar, cashier in a mercantile firm, sniffed a pleasant orour which lulled him into heavy sleep.

When he woke up near his destination, he was a loser by Rs. 18,000 His money bag had vanished. Neither he, who was asleep, nor the gharry driver goading the horse under the burning sun, were aware of it when the neat trick was accomplished.

Oomrigar had engaged the gharry to take him to Ferry Wharf where he had to disburse the money. Near Town Hall, while the vehicle was in full motion, he saw a man trying to catch up with it. Holding the door strap by one hand, the intruder whipped out a tiny bottle of chloroform sprayed a few drops of the powerful anaesthetic and retreated behind the gharry. Oomrigar is reported have sunk into unconsciousness under its sedative influence. A minute later the adept trickster clambered inside and pocketed the money bag with Rs. 18,000 in currency notes and coins.

From Town Hall to Ferry Wharf, a distance of two miles, the gharry driver plied his buggy without knowing of the daring robbery perpetrated under his nose. When he reached Ferry Wharf he drew up with a jolt but his client did not respond. Looking in, he found Eracsha Darabsha Oomrigar recovering from a stupefying daze.

City detective trailing the path of the chloroform-wielding theif stated that they had to start investigations from less than scratch. The ruse was Bombay underworld's newest weapon they said.

195 Fake Ration Cards Seized!

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Six persons who were found in illegal possession of 195 food and cloth ration cards were arrested by the Bombay C. I. D yesterday.

It is stated that on information received by the C. I. D. that the suspects, who lived in two country-boats in the R. I. N. Docks possessed several ration cards, a surprise raid was carried out when the police officers found that each one of the suspects was in possession of dozens of cards on his name. The total number of cards recovered from the suspects is stated to be 195.

The attempt of one of the arrested man to destroy a bundle of 30 ration cards, was foiled by the police who seized it from his hands.

The suspects were released on bail by Mr. J. M. Barot, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon Police Court, today.

"Goddess Who Loved Jewels"

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

An alleged attempt to cheat a poor Hindu woman of her gold ornaments, by playing upon her religious sentiments, was foiled when the Bhoiwada police arrested Atmaram Jiwan Narvekar last night in this connection.

The allegation against the accused was that he told the woman, whose husband was suffering from a chronic illness, that he could bring about a cure with the help of his profound knowledge of "Shastras" and "Mantras". An "Asan" was accordingly made and it is alleged that the accused told her that the Goddess would not sit on it, unless some gold ornaments were placed inside. It was alleged that a gold necklace and two gold bangles which the woman placed in the "Asana" were removed by Narvekar during the exercise of his "priestly" duties. The ornaments were later on recovered from a pawn-shop.

The accused was released on a bail of Rs. 500 today by Mr. D. S. Babrekar, Presidency Magistrate, Dadar Police Court.

Dr. Holmes' Public Lecture To-day

The Rev. Dr. Holmes will speak on "Your Country and Mine" at a public meeting to be held under the auspices of the Freedom Group at 6-15 p.m. today in the Modi Hall, Cama Institute, Apollo Street, Fort.

This is Dr. Holmes' first public appearance in India.

EDUCATIONAL FILMS AT AGRI-HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION

BOMBAY, October 7. (API): The organisers of the free India Agri-Horticultural and Industrial Exhibition, to be held in December next at Azad Maidan, have agreed, at the instance of the Visual Education Society, to put up a special cinema theatre for exhibiting various educational and other non-theatrical films. Several films some of them specially received from abroad—have been offered for exhibition, according to the Visual Education Society's bulletin. The Society appeals to those possessing educational films of 16 mm. to offer them temporarily for exhibition during December.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE NEWS

GANESHKHIND, Oct. 6.

The Deputy High Commissioner for the United Kingdom and Mrs. G. V. Kitson have left.

Lady Colville visited the Poona Nursery School where she was received by Dr. and Mrs. P. G. Bhagwat.

His Excellency and Lady Colville gave a small farewell dinner party to Mr. D. Symington.

JULY LOSS TO MILLS

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Oct. 7. (API): Following is the weather chart showing maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during past 24 hrs. from 1st June and departure from normal recorded at 08.00 hours (I.S.T.) on 7th October 1947:—

Allahabad 90 73 0 33.1 minus 4.0 Bombay 86.74 0 73.6 plus 5.5 Calcutta nil Colombo 85 73 0 59.3 plus 35.4 Cuttack 94 78 0 52.3 plus 5.1 Delhi 87 66 00 18.4 minus 3.9 Karachi 85 77 0 2.0 minus 4.0 Lahore 92 63 0 10.1 minus 4.5 Madras 91 74 1.4 20. 4 plus 3.9 Nagpur 92 67 0 37.3 Patna 87 78 1.1 40. minus .0 (1.0) Peshawar 89 63 0 2.2 minus 2.2 Poona 86—0 20.9 minus 0.3 Shillong 74 61 16.0 plus 18.1.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Almost every man has some part of his body which is especially weak; when one man is under the weather he has throat trouble; another man may have stomach trouble. When our civilization is under the weather, it has German trouble.

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The Bombay Chronicle

EDUCATIONAL IDEALS

Ideals of university education are often discussed at educational conferences and convocation addresses but they are not yet as clearly and fully defined as they need to be in India. For many years we slavishly copied British ideas which suited more or less the wealthy and middle classes of Britain. And then the ideals there changed, as they were bound to change in a free democratic country, we lagged behind even in copying them. Only recently since the days of non-co-operation and National Education have Indian educationists come to realise that undiscriminating imitation of Britain will not suit a poor and backward country like India with her peculiar culture, that education must be duly related to the life for which it is a training and that to be effective education must be imparted in the student's mother tongue. Some of the new ideas of our education have found eloquent expression in Mr. Kher's convocation address to the Madras University. Pointing out how the resolution of the Constituent Assembly to establish in our country a free democratic and equalitarian society has thrown upon the people the responsibility to devise a "radically reorganised" system of education calculated to build up such a society, Mr. Kher remarked that, if we could cultivate among the young the qualities of good fellowship and tolerance and also the sense of social responsibility, we should thereby be laying "the most stable foundation for the construction of a better social order". That is unexceptionable. But how precisely qualities of good fellowship and tolerance and a sense of social responsibility can be cultivated among the young in a caste-ridden society still remains a problem which needs to be seriously tackled by experienced educationists.

So far as primary and secondary education is concerned, Mr. Kher rightly emphasised the view that it is necessary "to bridge the gulf which exists between education and life" and showed that Basic Education, also known as the Wardha Scheme of education, "brings the school into vital relationship with the life of the community and enables the child to acquire knowledge and skill through direct participation in significant activities and occupations carried on in the local community". Indeed, the need to bridge the gulf between education and life applies to all education as only in that way can a sense of social responsibility be properly developed among the young. Mr. Kher himself endorsed this view when he said that the many good qualities of a citizen "can develop best not in the academic seclusion of the class room but through actual participation in socially useful and worthwhile activities." It was also in accordance with this view that he urged universities to "dedicate themselves to educating young men and women into the duties of democratic citizenship and develop in them the qualities of discipline, responsibility and cooperation without which the social organism cannot be properly cemented." Again, it was to emphasize the principle that education is essentially a training for life, for social service, that Mr. Kher congratulated the Madras University on its decision to make it compulsory for all students of the University to put in a year of social service in rural areas before they are given their degrees. The example of the Madras University deserves to be emulated by other universities in the country.

One of the most important and urgent duties of every modern university is to teach science in all its forms and provide facilities for research therein. Mr. Kher has done a service by expressing the view that "in a country like India, which has vast but undeveloped natural resources and where the standard of living is so deplorably low, it is essential that there should be a planned and well coordinated application of modern scientific ideas to our economic and industrial problems." The other methods, he added, which relied only on traditional skill "are entirely inadequate to meet the present situation and we cannot ensure a reasonable standard of material life, for our rapidly growing population unless the great power that science has placed at our disposal is pressed into the service of our productive activity". It is true that science can be abused. There is nothing in the world which cannot be abused. Even religion is being perverted and prostituted before our eyes. But that is no reason why science should not be promoted. By all means let there be "a humanistic application" of science. But India urgently needs more science and yet more science. And one of the best ways of ensuring humanistic application of science is to apply the scientific, that is, rational method, to all social studies, not excluding Ethics and Religion, which have suffered terribly from the spirit of dogmatism and fanaticism, which are the very antitheses of Science.

Unjust Demand

Master Tara Singh's demand that Muslims in the regions of Delhi and North-Western U.P. should be expelled to Pakistan in order to accommodate Hindu and Sikh refugees is singularly unfortunate and unworthy of any responsible leader. There can be no doubt that non-Muslims in North-Western Pakistan have suffered terribly so much so that that they have left their age-old homes and their property to take refuge in India. And the fact that Muslims in East Punjab and Delhi have had to undergo similar sufferings cannot lessen or modify sympathy for the unfortunate refugees. Nor can there be any doubt that their rehabilitation and resettlement devolve upon the country as a first priority and sacred obligation.

But Master Tara Singh's solution is neither human nor just. To expel Muslim agriculturists from Delhi and Western U.P. because Sikhs and Hindus were forced by Muslims in West Punjab to flee is to inflict vicarious punishment on the innocent for the sins of others. And that is neither political justice nor moral ethics but something repugnant to all human codes and religions. It is a form of "retaliation", — "retaliation" which, Master Tara Singh should have recalled, he himself had denounced in an earlier statement. Indeed, we wish the Sikh leader had pondered over his own words in his latest statement itself to the effect that "the people who acquired property with their labour and hard work overcoming all sorts of hardships and difficulties, should not be deprived of it simply because they profess a particular faith". The solution of the problem of resettling refugees as they are entitled to, lies not in vicarious punishments but in the projects, for instance, which will irrigate more land, now lying unused, and develop more industries. The Government is ready with the plans and waiting for the restoration of peace and normalcy, in order to launch them as the Prime Minister of India has told the country. The greatest most constructive and lasting service that can be rendered to refugees is to work for the re-establishment of peace fully and immediately.

Frankly Speaking

Beggars Act

The Bombay Government's bill to repeal and re-enact the Beggars Act, introduced in the Legislative Assembly on Saturday and adopted by it on Monday is a beneficent measure which has come not a day too soon. Mr. Morarji Desai, Home Minister, who moved the bill, made it clear that it was intended to deal with professional beggars and to teach them other professions to enable them to earn an honest living. He also made it clear that the legislation would not be applied to persons who, in pursuit of their religious tenets, did not earn a living but lived on the charity of their community. The question of disabled helpless persons is difficult but efforts must be made to shift them to a Home where they can be got to do simple but useful work.

"Criminal" Tribes

A kindred question is how to deal with certain nomadic tribes which have so far been regarded as criminal tribes because some of their members lived on thieving as well as begging. The Congress Government has rightly refused to brand a whole tribe as criminal because of the lapses of some of its members and to restrict their movements. At the same time it is necessary to protect society from persons who showed criminal tendencies on account of old traditions and bad environment. Mr. Desai has, therefore, moved a bill providing that two years after it comes into force the Criminal Tribes Act will cease to operate, and industrial, agricultural and other educational and reformative settlements will take the place of those which have so far been like jails. This bill, too, has long been overdue and we trust the so-called criminal tribes will be so educated and trained in their new settlements as to be useful citizens.

A World Sensation

Those who hold that the Communist International, which was formally dissolved in 1943, had never really died are not quite wrong. Although officially liquidated it always remained a living force and fairly well-coordinated, too. The Soviet lead in policy was unfailingly followed and defended. One example of it all will be sufficient. Earl Browder, the U. S. Communist leader, was suddenly discredited simultaneously with the Teheron "line" as a result of denunciation by M. Jacques Duclos, the Communist leader of far away France. If this view is correct, it follows that if certain Communist parties outside the Soviet zone followed different "national" policies it was not due to any lack of international co-ordination. It also follows, therefore, that all that has happened is that the Comintern has been reformalised in the form of the International Communist Organisation located in Belgrade instead of Moscow.

Bleak Future

But therein lies the tremendous significance of it. The Comintern was dissolved as a gesture of friendship to non-Communist allies like United States. Those were the days of wartime collaboration and mutual friendliness. Each side vied with the other in paying tributes and proclaiming considered and final convictions that the differing ideologies were not conflicting but complementary. This orgy of mutual admiration and protestations could not endure the strains and stresses of peace because the objectives of war were common but the objectives of peace were and and are selfish, greedy and therefore, mutually antogonistic. The consequences were inevitable. Quarrels developed and continued to sharpen so that now the world has the "Truman doctrine", on the one hand and the Belgrade "Comintern", on the other. The Big Power world virtually divided itself into two camps some time ago. Now the separation is complete, and what is more, political war has been squarely declared. As some commentators point out, one comparatively immediate major result of the "new development" is that Russia, along with its supporting members, may leave the United Nations. But the ultimate result of such moves and the economic and political mobilisation that has been started by both the antagonists all the world over is shooting war, which will not leave any nook or cranny of the world unaffected by its destruction and its horrors. This is the prospect that "civilisation" faces.

International Council Of Women

Poor Show Of Indian Delegates

BY MRS. CHAMPA GOKHALE (Exclusive To "Chronicle")

NEW YORK.

The session of the International Council of Women was held at Philadelphia—one of the most ancient and historic cities of the U.S.A.—on the 5th of Sept. The last pre-war session was held in 1938. So it was after nine years that the council was meeting. More than 1,000 women (delegates and visitors) from 24 different nations of the world attended it. The first two days were devoted to group meetings. To facilitate free discussions and to save the time, they had formed several groups such as child welfare, the home status of women, peace and international affairs etc.

One thing struck me as I attended these group meetings. The delegates from various countries had studied the respective subjects thoroughly and had actually worked in that field. The majority of the delegates were old—I think 50 or more years of age. As they were quite familiar with the subjects of the groups they took a leading part in the discussions, each giving the description of the work done in that field in her country her difficulties and her future needs. As an instance of this I might quote that in the group where the question of child welfare was being discussed the delegate from Jamaica said that in her country many children could not go to school because they have no change of clothes. Immediately the president of the group took a note of it and said that she would make arrangements to send some clothes there.

Mere Repetition

I was disappointed to see the Indian delegates ('except one' or 'two') not opening their mouths even on question of infant mortality when it came before the group for discussion. The Convener of the group asked the Indian delegates to give some information about infant mortality which she said was very great in India. The Indian delegate only repeated her words by saying that it is very great between birth and ten and still greater between ten and twenty, adding that she did not study the subject! Several resolutions such as question of illegitimate children, that of unmarried mothers, that of maintaining peace in world, that of supply of milk to children and expectant mothers, that of appointing women police force to help the evacuees were discussed in thee meetings when the question of teaching of home-economics in schools, came for discussions, one of the Indian delegates gave the information that there were many schools (?) in India giving that training to girls! Miss Cama, an Advocate from Nagpur and one of the Indian delegates read a very good paper on status of women in India and all the delegates liked it very much

On the third-day—that is Sunday—the open session was held under the presidentship of nearly 70 years old Baroness Boel. Messages from President Truman and the Queen Elizabeth were read. This was held in a big hall which was not very well decorated as we do in India. Flags of all the nations attending the conference were kept on the dais. Our Indian flag was very small compared to the other flags, so it was hardly noticeable there. Mrs. Bose the leader of the Indian delegation, presented a garland to the Baroness on behalf of Free India. There were different speeches in the meeting.

The next two days were devoted to passing of several resolutions already approved of, in the various group meetings and to the reading of reports of works of different national council of women in other countries. Report of N.C.W. in India could not be read completely as it was too long so I was again disappointed because this would have given the other delegates an idea of our difficulties as the majority of our delegates did not utter a word about it. Even when the question of famine came for discussion in the open meeting not a single of the six Indian delegates went to the platform to tell the story of thirty-two lakhs of people who died in India as a result of famine in Bengal and other parts of India. After all the Indian delegates came all over from India to give a clear picture of their work and difficulties in India. —

Display Of Saris!

There was no display of jewellery and clothes in whole of the conference by the delegates —(except Indian delegation of course). The other delegates concentrated more attention on their work, though they did not fail to admire Indian delegates for their beautiful costly sarees and wondered how they could afford these!

One night there was entertainment programme when Miss Yodh of the Indian delegation gave a short performance of dance. People here always admire you for such things and so they were pleased with the dance performance.

The Indian delegates were given lunch by the President. All the delegates (non-local) were invited for tea on different days by the Y.W.C.A. Womens' International organisation for peace, the Salvation Army etc. All the delegates were invited for supper by Gimbel Brothers—one of the big department stores in U.S.A. They had the chance to see the "Better Philadelphia exhibition." Philadelphia is an old city and the people went to remodel it and so the exhibition showed what it would look like after remodelling. The last item was the election of new president and the banquet. Dr. Edgar, who comes from Switzerland, and who is a chemist is elected President for the next session.

There was complete disunity amongst the members of the Indian delegation, some of whom were just interested in posing for the photographs which would appear in paper the next day. Though it is understood that Mrs. Yodh was originally elected a delegate, her daughter who has recently passed her B.Sc. and has come over here for studies, was made a substitute delegate 'here.' Her name does not appear in the list of Indian delegates. I do not know whether the membership of delegation can be transferred in this way. All four Indian delegates Mrs. Bose, Miss Cama, Miss Jirad and Mrs. Shrinagesh came here together and they were offered hospitality for four. But instead of giving Mrs. Shrinagesh her dues, Miss Yodh was made a delegate here and was given hospitality. This was of course done by the Indian delegation. Miss Yodh took no part in the discussions. I do not know whether she was connected with the N. C. of W. in India at all. If at all the delegates can be chosen after arriving here Mrs. Kumarappa and Mrs. Deshpande (who was several years principal of the women's college in Lahore and who has attended Conferences in India, in the capacity of a delegate) could have been made delegates, and they would have certainly made better contribution on behalf of India in discussions. In fact all of us wanted to say something in the discussion but we were not allowed as we were only visitors. The Indian delegates quarelled for photographs even in the presence of other people. No other delegates were so much after appearing before a camera. In my opinion the Indian delegation (with the exception of one or two members like Miss Cama) made an extremely poor show.

LONDON LETTER

Fascism Not Dead Yet

(From Our Correspondent)

London (By Air Mail).

Breaking of heads is no monopoly of Indian masses. Even here we have bottle battle and baton charges. On Saturday at Dundee the spectators at the Scottish League Cup came to blows. Women fainted and men sustained fractured bones. It all began suddenly as these troubles usually do. As McAuley, the Celtic left half was leaving the field because of an eye injury a stone and a bottle were thrown by some one. The police made arrests. This was followed by the hurling of more bottles. Then began a regular fight between two sections on the terrace. Then a crowd of boys came swarming over a wall. Order was not restor d before about half a dozen heads were broken and an equal number taken into cu tody

On Sunday mounted police rode on to the pavements and foot police drew batons. There was pushing and dragging, as is usual on such occasions. The British League of Ex-Servicemen had collected on a street corner to preach their weekly Fascist sermon. The police was present in large number so that the Fascists could exercise their right of freedom of expression. Crowds soon collected and the speakers were booed and heckled. Too many boos lead to uproar and uproar did occur on this occasion. Scuffles broke out and stones were thrown.

The police tried to stop the trouble from spreading. Linking arms they made sweeps through the crowds, hurling men and women. Batons were drawn when the crowds protested against the arrests of a girl of eighteen who was raising anti-Fascist slogans. Meanwhile thousands had collected blocking roads and streets. The situation was growing menacing when police ordered the closure of the meeting. These scenes remind one of the scenes in India. Crowds have got the habit of getting out of control. And when this happens there is always to be found some one who manages to throw a stone It is madness. But unfortunately madness is the most chronic epidemic from which mankind, even its normally sane section suffers. Can there be any explanation for those dreadful happenings in India and Pakistan except madness? No man in his senses can participate in the Indian devil dance. Bloodshed yields no dividends. It boosts liabilities as sooner or later those responsible for these occurrences or those who instigate them would realise.

FASCIST PROPAGANDA

Th Nazi Party might no longer exist at present. But it is a mistake to suppose that Fascism is dead. Even in London those nefarious doctrin s of racial hatred we had come to associate with Hitlerism are being openly preached. Men are being told to use violence against certain races. Yet excepting Communists and certain Left sections of the Labour movement no one is doing anything about it. It is true Fascist propaganda has so far not assumed dangerous proportions. But if it is allowed to go on unchecked it may easily become a menace. Several trade unions have called upon the Home Office to place a ban on Fascist propaganda. Interference with the activities of Fascists so long, as they do not transgress the law, will be a serious encroachment of the right of freedom of expression. But the question is: are those who propagate racial hatred entitled to exercise their right to free expressions? At an enormous cost and by a unique act of international justice, says Reynolds News, we tried and executed the leading German criminals. Are we now to sit meekly by and listen to the echo of their words from the mouths of their British counterparts?

TRADE UNION CONGRESS

The Trade Union Congress held its annual deliberations in the holiday town of sunny Southport. Outside the Hall, where the delegates considered the nation's crisis, the atmosphere was gay. But inside the air was smoke-laden. Outside they talked of food and drink. Inside they talked of crisis. statistics were bandied about to prove this or that. Mr. Bevin waxed eloquent about his proposal of Empire Customs Union. The audience felt thrilled. But will it work? Will it solve Britain's crisis the child of more than one parent? Indeed as a writer in Sunday paper observes as the result of the avalan he of speeches to which they were subjected, the delegates left Southport more bewildered than when they arrived. But one thing is certain. The large majority of men are prepared to give their last ounce of loyalty to the Labour Government in any steps that it might decide to take. Assured of the support of men and women, who alone can win the battle o Gap, there is no reason why the Labour Government should continue to act with hesitancy.

ATTITUDE TOWARDS AMERICA

The average Englishman appears to have grown cool towards America. The U.S.A is blamed for a few of Britain's difficulties. Extremists of course throw outsize bricks at America. A speaker at the Southport Trade Union Congress said if President Truman has one jot of honesty left he will climb up on the Statue of Liberty take the torch of liberty out of her hand and replace it with three gold balls. This sort of talk is of course not common. But there is little doubt that if the relations between U.S.A. and Britain are not enthusiastic that is in no small measure due to the loan business. But then has not Shakespeare said

Neither a borrower, nor a lender be;

For loan oft loses both itself and friend

And borrowing dulls the edge of husbandry.

Our Readers' Views

National Anthem

Sir,—Having been born at Seoni in the Central Provinces, I have naturally become a citizen of Hindustan, and being interested in all matters of national importance, I venture to put forth the following few lines concerning the National Anthem, which has assumed great importance in view of the fact that, freedom having been attained, it is of utmost importance that the spirit of freedom should be maintained by stubborn ties of love and affection between the various factors that constitute the nation.

A word about the existing National Anthems will not be out of place here. The 'Bande-Mataram' cannot be hailed as a National Anthem on account of its origin, history, language, appeal and its inordinate length. In the first place, its origin is found to be in the agitation during the first partition of Bengal. Thus it was born in protest. Secondly, it has been the favourite slogan of the predominantly Hindu element in the Congress party. The Muslims have protested against it. Thirdly, its language is all Latin and Greek to an average Indian. Thus it lacks real enthusiasm. Fourthly, it is communal in its outlook and appeal. It is the outpouring of a devout Hindu heart to a goddess. It must, therefore, be repelling to all non-idolatrous communities. Fifthly, it is inordinate in length and difficult for musical adaptation.

Therefore, if we are to build our nation-hood on solid and permanent foundations of liberty, equality and fraternity, common sense and good reasoning must prevail in all matters of national importance. Therefore, all attempts to force 'Bande Mataram' must be given up. The unfortunate but significant absence of the members of the Muslim League Party in the Constituent Assembly during the time this anthem was sung is a pointer and more or less represents the attitude of Muslim community towards it.

Now the second preference, in some quarters at least, has been given to Iqbal's 'Sare jan se achchha Hindustan hamara.' But this is also open to criticism on several grounds. In the first place, it was written before the birth of the two Dominions and, therefore, it fails to represent facts as they are now. Secondly, its composer, Iqbal is the father of the idea of Pakistan and some may therefore, refuse to accept it in protest.

For these reasons, I venture to place before the nation the following composition of mine to be adopted as the national anthem. It has the following points in its favour. Firstly, it is the composition of a Muslim who loves his mother-land as well as any one else. The Muslims being a minority in Hindustan, it will be a matter of pride for them and a gesture of goodwill and affection on the part of the major community, if a song composed by a Muslim is adopted as a national anthem. Secondly it will be seen that it is free from all religious bias and, therefore, can be sung by all communities without the least objection. Thirdly, the language is simple Hindustani. It can be easily understood by one and all. Fourthly, it is purely national and non-communal in its outlook and appeal. It can appeal to all and can be sung with enthusiasm. Fifthly, it can be easily adapted to music.

Here is the anthem. The English translation follows it.

QUAWMI TARANA

Piyara hai sab se hamko Hindusta hamara
Taare hain uske ham sab, wuh Aasman hamara
Hindu hon ya ke Moslim, Sikh hon ke Parsi hon
Yaksan hai sab ko piyara yih gulistan hamara
Ganga, Brahmaputra, Jamna-wo-Sindh-o-Satlej
Nadyaan yih jaanti hain Nam-o-Nishan hamara
Parbat Himalya ke saaye men ham palay hain
Chakkar Ashok ka hai Quawmi Nishan hamara
Mil jul ke Aawo ham sab isko salaam kar len
Aazaadiy-e-watan ka hai yeh Nishan hamara
Dedenge jaan apni per isko ham na denge
Hai jaan se piyara yih jaan-e-jaan hamara
Tayyar ab khada hai marne ko maarne ko
Apne watan ki khatir peer-o-jawaan hamara
Misle Himalaya ke saaya ho iska ham per
Uncha rahe sada yeh Quawmi Nishan hamara
Shakti bhi shaanti bhi haasil hai aaj ham ko
Mukti ki raah per hai ab kaarvan hamara

TRANSLATION

Dearest to us is our Hindustan
We are its stars and it is our sky.
Whether we be Hindu, Muslim, Sikh or Parsi
Equally beloved is to us our garden.
Ganga, Brahmaputra, Jamna, Sindh and Sutlej
All these rivers know our past glory
We have been brought up in the shade of the Himalya
The wheel of Ashok is our National Insignia
Let us all unite and salute it together
Because it is the sign-post of the Independence of our motherland
We will sacrifice our lives, but will not suffer to give it
This life of our lives is dearer to us than life.
Ready to die or to kill
Is every one of us, young and old, for the sake of the motherland
May it always cast its shadow on us like the Himalya
May this National Flag of ours ever remain high,
Both Power and Peace are now in our grasp
Our caravan is now on its road to Salvation.

A. S. KHAN.

Manavadar.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

Bitter Soviet newspaper attacks on United States and British policy in Korea and Palestine today followed swiftly on yesterday's announcement.

British politicians, "Pravda" said in another article, favoured Britain taking on in Palestine the job of hangman voluntarily hired to America—your dollars for our rope.

"British bankruptcy in Palestine is a most striking example of the general colonial bankruptcy of imperialism" the paper added.

—Reuter.

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According to a Bangalore report the Government of Mysore has decided to release Members of the Working Committee of the Mysore State Congress, who are in detention.

The question is who is letting down whom in and—er—around the "Government of Mysore"?

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"Well-informed Moscow observers are reported to consider the formation of a new world Communist Bureau as the most important Communist political development since the disbandment of the Comintern in 1943.

How marvellous! It would never have occurred to you.

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Regretting this development, the 'Manchester Guardian' says: "Russia has, however, willed it and, to put it mildly, the chances of peace are not improved".

No Sir. To put it mildly, the chances of war have been well improved.

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Mr. R. A. Butler, a Conservative Party leader, has also commented upon it, pointing out how this new development is aimed against the policy of some of the U.N. Member States.

But not, of course, like Mr. Churchill's speeches and proposals which are aimed at quite other U.N. member States.

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By the way, the formation of the Belgrade Bureau, is stated to have come "as a complete surprise to members of the Communist Party in Britain."

Which is not a new experience for the members of the Communist Party in Britain.

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Reuter reports that the Iraq delegate, Fadhil Jamali Bey, made a bitter attack on Zionism, which he compared with Nazism, when the United Nations Palestine Committee resumed its debate on Monday.

Not only attack but a bitter attack, too. We are shocked. The Arabs can only be described as ungracious and ungrateful wretches who are also ignorant of the true principles of democracy and rights of people

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AGAINST CHOLERA

Indians Arriving Are Inoculated And Quarantined

NEW YORK, Oct. 6. (U.P.A.): Six Indians have been inoculated against cholera and quarantined on Ellis Island, following their arrival here from India yesterday by Pan American Airways Clipper

They were among the 30 passengers arriving from cholera areas who have been inoculated and quarantined since Friday when the United States Public Health Service announced that it would begin taking precautions to prevent introduction of cholera to the United States

The names of the Indians were not presently available but, in any case, they will be released by Wednesday, unless cholera symptoms develop.

The Indians were among 18 persons inoculated at La Guardia Field yesterday under direction of Dr. Roy S. Boget, medical director of the United States Public Health Service quarantine station in New York.

Of the total so far quarantined, 20 were Palestinians, four Americans and the remainder Indians.

In announcing its precautionary measures, the Public Health Service said that the cholera epidemic is spreading from Egypt and that inoculation would be required of all people arriving from that country and Palestine Red Sea ports, Saudi Arabia and India.

Persons who have been inoculated within six months are allowed through without quarantine and those who have been inoculated within less than five days are permitted to land but must report to the Health Service at the end of five days.

All others are inoculated at the airfield on port of arrival and quarantined for five days.

Dr. Boget said that this is the first time it has been necessary to take precautions against cholera here since 1892 when an epidemic swept Europe and took nine lives in the United States despite precautionary measur

B. H. U STUDENTS HARTAL

BENARES, Oct. 6 (API.) The students of the Benares Hindu University abstained from attending classes today in sympathy with the students who are on strike.

Student volunteers picketed the University gate. All high schools and intermediate colleges in the city have been closed under the orders of the District Magistrate.

STRIKE ABANDONED

NAGPUR, Oct. 7 (API.) The proposed general strike of the students in schools and colleges in the Province, which was to have started tomorrow, to protest against the enhancement of tuition fees has been abandoned following the Government's assurance to discontinue the enhanced fees from next year.

TEST OF TENANCY

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Tendulkar)

Ratansey Champsey and others —Plaintiffs.

v/s.

Vallabhdas Hirji Vassonji—Defendant.

Holding that the defendant who occupied two rooms in a Sanatorium at Girgaum at a nominal rent was not a mere licensee but was a tenant and as such entitled to the protection of the Rent Act, His Lordship dismissed an ejectment suit filed against the defendant. The plaintiffs were Trustees of the Ranchordas Jadhavji Trust which maintained this Sanatorium.

Seventeen years ago, the defendant was allotted one room on payment of Re. 1/- per month and Rs. 2/- monthly for electric charges. When he had applied for a room, the defendant had stated in his application that he agreed to abide by all the rules made by the Trustees or which might be made by them in the future. Subsequently another room was also allotted to the defendant.

Under the Will of Seth Ranchordas a sanatorium was to be built for the residence of his caste brethern of Jamnagar at a nominal monthly rent of Re. 1/- per family. The Trustees received the amount first "in respect of rent" but later on "as fee for occupation". The terms were that if the person in occupation allowed his room to be used by another or locked it up for over a month without the permission of the Trustees, the Trustees could take possession of the room. On behalf of the Trustees it was therefore contended that in view of these terms no interest in property amounting to a tenancy was created in favour of the defendant.

Rejecting this contention His Lordship held that these were valid conditions on which the tenancy could be made determinable. In His Lordship's opinion it was well settled that the test of tenancy was exclusive possession and there was nothing in the terms of tenancy which would lead the Court to hold that the defendant's possession was not exclusive. His Lordship, therefore, held that the defendant was a tenant and was therefore protected from ejectment by the Rent Act.

Mr. J. C. Bhat instructed by Messrs. Madhowji & Co. appeared for the plaintiffs.

Mr. H. D. Banaji instructed by Messrs. Kantilal & Co. appeared for the defendant.

Ejectment Suit Against Chief Justice Of India

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Coyajee).

Mahomedbhoy I. M. Rowji .. Plaintiff.

vs.

Sir Harilal Kania ..... Defendant.

This was an ejectment suit against the Chief Justice of India which came up before His Lordship for hearing as a Short Cause on Tuesday. His Lordship ordered it to be transferred to the list of Long Causes but expedited the hearing and fixed it for 2nd April 1948.

The plaintiff who owned a building at Ridge Road had leased it out to the defendant for three years from 31st March 1941. Two of the terms of the lease of which the defendant was alleged to have committed a breach were, that the lessee should whitewash and paint the premises and keep them in tenantable repair and should not assign or sublet them without the written consent of the lessor.

The defendant contended that he had kept the premises in tenantable repair and denied that he had broken any of the terms of his tenancy. The defendant furthr contended that after the expiry of his lease he held that premises not on the terms of the lease but on the terms printed at the back of the rent-bills in accordance with which the plaintiff had been accepting the rent from month to month. The defendant, therefore, contended that he was not deprived of the protection of the Rent Act.

Mr. S. A. Desai and Mr. M. R. Parpia instructed by Messrs. Nagindas Husseinally & Co. appeared for the plaintiff.

The Advocate-General instructed by Messrs. Merwanji Cola & Co. appeared for the defendant.

NO COW SLAUGHTER ON BAKR-ID DAY

Aligarh 'Varsity And Cattle Dealers' Appeal To Muslims

ALIGARH, Oct. 6 (API.) The Aligarh University saff and the local cattle dealers have issued an appeal to Muslims to stop cow slaughter on Bakr-id Day.

Negro Prisoner Runs Amuck

MEMPHIS (Tennessee), October 6 (Reuter): A Negro prisoner was killed and two Deputy Sheriffs were wounded when an armed Negro prisoner ran amuck in the country gaol here today, it was announced by Detective Chief M. A. Hinds.

"A Negro prisoner went crazy and started shooting all over the place," Hinds reported. "The prisoner was later taken into custody."

Another report said the prisoner seized a gun while being taken to a court room and fired six shots.

Ahmedabad Home-guards To Be Trained In Use Of Fire Arms

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 7. (API): The first batch of about 500 home guards who have completed six months' training in drill now start training in the use of firearms from next week. Eight hundred and sixty seven home guards have been recruited so far in the city

S.-W. AFRICAN ISSUE

LAKE SUCCESS, NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (Reuter): Sir Maharaj Singh (India) today in the United Nations Trusteeship Committee renewed his strong criticism of South Africa's attitude towards South-West Africa. He moved a resolution asking the General Assembly to disapprove the Union's action and strongly to urge South Africa to submit a Trusteeship Agreement by the next General Assembly.

PLEBISCITE WAY OUT OF STATES DEADLOCK

News Chronicle On "Dangerously Paradoxical" Situation In Junagadh And Kashmir

LONDON, Oct. 7, (Reuter): The Liberal News Chronicle suggested today that plebiscites in India's Princely States might be the best way of deciding their future.

"In Kashmir and in Junagadh, the dangerously paradoxical situation of many of the Indian Princely States is being made manifest" said the paper in a leading article. "In both cases geography combines with population to make madness of the whims of the Princes, for Kashmir is quite cut off from India and Junagadh isolated except by sea from Pakistan. "Undoubtedly in both cases the wisest policy would be for the rulers to hold their hands until the passions of partition are spent", but the fate of the vast numbers of people in the States must be settled some time, and whether it must be now or later, it should be put to the test of a plebiscite. A referendum in India is an inefficint instrument, but the results of a plebiscite in the states would be beyond question clear.

GONDAL RULER'S PLEA

GONDAL, Oct. 7.

The Maharaja of Gondal in a statement says that the geographical position of Junagadh in the peninsula of Kathiawar is such that its accession to Pakistan "will endanger the peace and tranquility of the whole of Kathiawar" and hopes that all possible efforts will be made by the Dominions of India and Pakistan "to restore Junagadh to its proper and legitimate place as an integral part of Kathiawar".

GUJERATIS PROTEST

MADRAS, Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): Gujerati residents of Madras city, including Junagadh State subjects, have sent a telegram to the Ruler of Junagadh State conveying their "unanimous protest" against the State's accession to Pakistan and appealing to the ruler" in the best interests of the adjoing Hindu States and to ensure the "safety" of the people of Junagadh to change his decision and join the Indian Union forthwith.

They have also telegraphed to Mr. Samaldas Gandhi President of the Provisional Government of Junagadh, congratulating him on "timely launching of direct action".

RAJPUTS TO DISCUSS JUNAGADH SITUATION

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 6.

Narendra Sinhji Bahida, President, Gujarat Rajput Mandal, has been summoned by Mr. Shamaldas Gandhi to Rajkot for discussions. He left for Rajkot this morning.

Rajputs of Gujarat and Kathiawar are to meet at Wadhvan Camp on 7th to discuss the Junagadh situation. Thousands of Rajputs have joined the Defence Corps.

A batch of 22 volunteers of St. John Ambulance, under the lead of Sjt. Bhaskar Setalwad, left for Delhi, in response to Sardar Patel's call for relief work. The batch will carry on refugee relief work according to instructions of the Government.

BAHAWALPUR ACCEEDES TO PAKISTAN

KARACHI Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): The State of Bahawalpur has acceeded to the dominion of Pakistan by signing the instrument of accession. It was officially announced here by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of Pakistan tonight.

GUARDS WITHDRAWN FROM CONGRESS HOUSE

BANGALORE, October 6 (API):—Mr. S. Nijalingappa, President, Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee and "third dictator," Mysore Satyagraha has also been released along with 10 members of the Mysore State Congress Working Committee.

Mr. K. C. Reddy, President and most of the other members of the Working Committee who were lodged in Chikmagalur jail about 160 miles from Bangalore are expected here in the course of the night.

Military guards have been withdrawn from the Congress House which was in their possession since the arrest of the Congress leaders on September 4.

The hunger-strike of ten Satyagrahis in the premises of the local Bar Association has been called off to-day after 35 hours, following the decision of the Bar Association to close the Association for a fortnight.

Picketing of the district courts were very vigorous to-day; batch after batch entered the compounds, court rooms and effectively prevented the proceedings of the courts being carried on. About 100 persons were arrested but were later released. The police also resorted to lathi charge to disperse large crowds which had gathered about the court compound to watch the Satyagraha.

BANGALORE, October 6 (API):—Settlement has been reached in the 30 days old strike of the employees of the Mysore State Railways. The strike leaders who were released tonight have issued a signed statement calling upon the workers to go back for duty from Tuesday morning.

Under the terms of the settlement it has been agreed that there would be no victimisation, the strike period would be considered as on duty, suitable adjustments would be made in anomalous cases and 20 per cent increase on the revised scales to artisans.

Government has also agreed that facilities of class one railway—which was the basic demand of the railwaymen—would be conceded to the Railway workers in the course of two years provided substantial improvement in the revenue was shown.

Mr. U. K. Somappa, Deputy Inspector-General of Police responsible for the conduct of the negotiations on behalf of the Government.

DELHI U.O.T.C. FOR RIOT DUTY

NEW DELSI, Oct. 6, (API.) In order to relieve the police and the military in certain areas of New Delhi for more important work elsewhere, the Delhi University Officers Training Corps have taken over routine patrol duties in those areas from today.

Indore Ruler To Unfurl India's Flag

INDORE, Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): At the instance of Indore Mazdoor Sangh the Maharaja of Indore has agreed to unfurl the Tricolour Flag of Indian Union at a meeting to be held under the auspices of the Sangh on October 11, Mahatma Gadhhi's birthday, according to the Indian calendar, says an official announcement.

Mysore Assembly Session Postponed

(From Our Correspondent.)

BANGALORE, Oct. 7.

Dasara Session of the Mysore Representative Assembly which is to commence on October 20 is to be postponed to some future date, according to an official announcement issued today.

This decision is taken in view of the acute food scarcity in the State and inconvenience caused by the present political turmoil.

This year's Dasara festivities will be confined to religious observance within Palace and the State procession of ruler on Vijayadasami Day has been cancelled.

MYSORE RAILWAYMEN RESUME WORK

BANGALORE, Oct. 7, (A.P.I.): The strike on the Mysore State Railway ended this afternoon when workers resumed duty. A settlement was reached last night.

Mr. S. Guruswami, Secretary of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation, called off the four-hour sympathetic strike on the M. and S. M. Railway scheduled to take place on October 9th in view of the settlement.

Reaction To Rumour Of Loan To Junagadh

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Mob attacked and looted a shop this evening at Kalbadevi Road, whose proprietor is alleged to have made some loans to the Nawab. It is stated that a crowd at about 7-30 p.m. stormed the shop of Madhavji Jadavji & Co., ghee merchants at 244 Kalbadevi Road, and began attacking it. The proprietor fearing danger intimated the police.

Laxmidas, the proprietor of the firm, and four others were later rescued by the police and a party of Home Guards. The police made attempts to disperse the crowds which kept on swelling in large number. They managed to rush into the shop and damaged some goods.

When a reporter of the "Chronicle" visited the place, he found broken pieces of glass and damaged furniture and other articles littered in the shop and also on the street. Some ghee was seen spilled in the middle of street.

When asked by the reporter, some members of the firm said the public had got angry due to a false rumour circulated by some people that they had given some loan to Junagadh.

According to the rumour, it is alleged that the proprietor had given a loan of Rs. 5 lakhs to the Nawab. Another rumour states that he (the proprietor) had given another sum of Rs. 5,000 that very day. It is stated that a member of the Junagadh Provisional Government had described the proprietor as an "Amichand of Junagadh".

The crowds undaunted by the police kept on booing and jeering the proprietor. The police made several attempts to disperse the crowds by the show of sticks, but the crowds showed no sign of melting even after several hours of the trouble.

The crowds, at last dispersed at 10-30 p.m.

It is stated that some persons were arrested for obstructing traffic but they were discharged later.

Bengal Women's Appeal For Peace

CALCUTTA, Oct. 6. (API.) Twenty-eight prominent women of Calcutta, on the occasion of Mahatma Gandhi's 79th birthday, have issued a joint appeal to the people of India and Pakistan "to strain every nerve so that saner counsels may prevail over the horror and bestiality which still threaten to destroy u's."

They add: "In this way the tribute that we pay to the great leader of our times will indeed be genuine and sincere and will help him towards success of the mission he has undertaken, whereby abiding peace and progress can be assured in this country and freedom become a reality."

The signatories include Mohini Devi, the oldest living Congress woman of Bengal, Lady Abala Bose (Widow of the late Sir J. C. Bose) Basanti Devi, Hamida Momin, widow of the late Mr. Abdul Momin, Sarala Bala Sarkar (well-known writer of Bengali literaure) Hemaprava Mazumder ex-M.L.A., Miss Binadas, M.I.A., Dr. Mrs. Maitrye Bose, Dr. Mrs. Fulrenu Guha, Mrs. Renuka Roy, Mrs. Aeysha Ahmed, Mrs. Lila Roy and Mrs. Bela Mitra.

Foodgrains Policy Committee Meets

NEW DELHI, Oct. 7 (API.)

The Foodgrains Policy Committee, which has been in daily session since September 30, has already heard the views of the Premier of the C. P. and the Food Ministers of Bombay, Madras, East Punjab and Bihar on the food problem in their respective provinces. It will also hear the views of other Provincial Premiers or Food Ministers during the course of its present session.

The Committee is at present discussing the possible emergency measures which might be taken during the next two months, the trend of cultivation and production during the last few years and the trend of grain imports from abroad.

SYRIAN CABINET REFORMED

DAMASCUS, Oct. 7. (Reuter): The Syrian Cabinet, which resigned last week, was reconstituted today by the Prime Minister, Jamil Mardam Bey, to include Opposition parties and Independents.

Jamil Mardam Bey becomes Foreign Secretary as well as Premier.

Other members are: INTERIOR, M. Moussen Barazi; JUSTICE: M. Said Ghazzi; NATIONAL DEFENCE, M. Ahmed Charabati; EDUCATION, M. Mounir Ajlont and FINANCE, M. Wehbe Hariri.

The Cabinet will meet the Chamber on Thursday.

Tomorrow the delegation-leader Jamil Mardam Bey will leave for Beirut to represent Syria at the Arab League Conference.

LIAQUAT SPRINGS SURPRISE ON INDIAN MUSLIMS

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units of the Pakistan Dominion could be depended upon to adhere to the solemn understandings given on their behalf by the Pakistan Dominion.

REPORT OF LAHORE TALKS TO DELHI

NEW DELHI, Oct. 7. (API): At its meeting today, the Emergency Committee of the Cabinet discussed the report made by the Minister for Relief and Rehabilitation, Mr. K. C. Neogi and the Minister without Portfolio, Mr. N. Gopalaswamy Ayyangar, on their recent talks with the representatives of Pakistan and the Government of West Punjab at Lahore, says a Press Communique.

Some of the subjects discussed at Lahore included searches, food supplies to evacuees, conditions in refugee camps, property, and the evacuation of refugees.

In future the Committee will meet once a week only namely, on Friday.

SIKH MILITARY'S FOUR-HOUR BATTLE TO SAVE VILLAGE

NEW DELHI, Oct. 7. (UPI): Contrary to impression sought to be created that adequate military protection is not provided to the minorities in the disturbed areas in the Indian Dominion, the United Press of India special representative who toured the Gurgaon district, East Punjab, yesterday gathered a fine example, of how one Sikh Regiment gave complete protection to 6,000 residents of a Muslim village of Dhankot, 33 miles from Delhi.

Immediately on receipt of information that Dhankot was likely to be attacked the military authorities with the help of civil authorities imposed curfew on the surrounding villages and the inhabitants of those villages were warned against such an attack.

The following morning at 5-30 one Hindu mob of about eight to ten thousand armed with a light machine-gun, country-made mortars and other weapons launched an attack on Dhankot.

A Sikh platoon stationed outside the village replied with mortars and after a battle lasting for four hours succeeded in dispersing and inflicting casualties on the attackers. Two more attempts were made but they were replied by the military.

Accompanied by Lt.-Col. D. B. Rai, Officer Commanding, First Battalion Sikh Regiment and Sardar Bahadur Narendra Singh, Deputy Commissioner, Gurgaon, the United Press of India representative visited Dhankot and went to the headmen of the village. They said: "We are grateful to the Sikh troops for saving us. We have complete confidence in the Indian Government and they are doing everything possible to protect us in this area. Our problem, however, is that the military cannot continue to remain here for ever. There is no Muslim village within twenty miles and as such we would prefer to be evacuated to Pakistan.'

Describing the overall situation in the Gurgaon district which had been scene of considerable trouble in the past on account of influx of Meos from the neighbouring States of Alwar and Bharatpur.

Bikaner Blocks For Passage Of Refugees

BIKANER, Oct. 6 (API.) The Government of India and the East Punjab Government, says the Director of Publicity Bikaner State, have decided to open a refugee camp in the East Punjab territory for the Muslims of Hissar and Rohtak districts, who wish to go to Pakistan. No more Muslim refugees will, therefore, be allowed from these areas to cross into Bikaner State territory on their way to Bahawalpur and Pakistan.

NO NEWSPAPERS SALE IN ITALY

Proprietors Turn Down Workers, Demands

ROME, October 7 (Reuter): There will be no newspapers on sale in Italy today unless there is an unexpected settlement of Italian printers claim for higher wages.

The Italian Newspaper Proprietors Association announced last night its refusal to meet the request for wage increases.

Proprietors were closing down their offices throughout the country in sympathy with northern newspaper owners who had called on southern colleagues to form a 'Unitziftcpt'

MARSHALL HAS NO COMMENT ON VIRTUAL REVIVAL OF COMINTERN

MONTREAL, Oct. 6, (U.P.A.): Secretary of State Marshall today had no comment on the virtual revival of Communist Comintern when he arrived here shortly before noon with his wife aboard President Truman's plane.

He scheduled to receive an honarary Doctor of Laws degree at McGill University this afternoon.

"I'm sorry I have no comment to make," Marshall said when asked for his opinion of the inauguration of the Communist Information Bureau which is regarded as equivalent to revival of the Communist Internationale.

Churchill Asked Not To Bother About Burma's Future

"WE SHALL WORK OUT OUR DESTINY IN OUR OWN WAY" SAYS THAKIN BAW

RANGOON, October 7. (Reuter): Thakin Lun Baw, Counsellor for Foreign Affairs in the Burmese Cabinet today accused Britain's war time Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, of "fomenting discord and dissension within Burma".

He was commenting on Mr. Churchill's week-end speech at the Conservative Party Conference at Brighton and said: "Mr. Churchill need not bother about Burma's future. We are confident we shall work out our destiny in our own way".

He said that Mr. Churchill had blamed the British Labour Government for the present "misery and bloodshed" in India and had warned "it may well be that Burma will suffer the same fate".

Thakin Lun Baw commented: "Mr. Churchill and his Tory friends would be glad if there were bloodshed and chaos in Burma, so that the British imperialists might exploit the situation to tighten their stranglehold on Burma.

Mr. "Churchill hopes he may be wrong in his forecast. I am sure he is going to be wrong. Fortunately, we in Burma have none of the problems which caused the present upheaval in India".

Thakin Lun Baw declared that it was the basic policy of Free Burma to maintain most cordial relations with all foreign countries, especially with Britain.

He stated: "We have decided to dispense with the services of British members of the Civil Service, but that does not mean that we are going to drive away all Britishers from Burma.

ATTLEE'S LUNCH TO BURMESE DELEGATION

The British Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, today gave a luncheon at his Official Residence, 10 Downing Street, in honour of the Burmese Economic Delegation now in Britain in connection with the transfer of Power to Burma in January, cables Fraser Wighton, Reuter's political correspondent.

The Burmese guests included the whole of the Delegation led by Finance Minister U. Tin Tut.

TRIAL OP U SAW MAY BE ADJOURNED

RANGOON October 7. (Reuter): The adjournment of the trial of U. Saw, a former Burmese Prime Minister and nine other Burmans for the assassination of U. Aung San, Deputy Chairman of the Burmese Executive Council and six other Cabinet Ministers, is now regarded as "quite likely", Reuter learned today from official sources. The trial was due to open tomorrow.

The adjournment, it is understood, is to allow time for the accused to engage legal counsel.

It was learned from the office of the Special Tribunal they had received no intimation whether the ex-Premier U. Saw, number one accused in the case, has engaged legal counsel for the defence.

This source also revealed that the Rangoon Bar Association declined to take up the defence of the nine other accused.

According to the Advocate-General, U. Tun Hla Byu, there will be over 130 crown witnesses, including members of Aung San's Cabinet who survived the ordeal at the Council Chamber.

BIG RESHUFFLE IN BRITISH CABINET

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OVERSEAS TRADE: Mr. Arthur George Bottomley.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY: Mr. Leonard James Callaghan;

WAR OFFICE PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE AND FINANCIAL SECRETARY Mr. Michael Stewart.

Mr. Emanuel Shinwell, 63, who leaves his Cabinet post as Minister of Fuel and Power to become Secretary of State for War, outside the Cabinet, incurred wide unpopularity last winter through alleged responsibility for the fuel crisis and also for a famous "tinker's cuss" speech in which he gave offence to the Labour Government's middle class supporters. His only previous connection with the War Office was in 1929 when he was for a short time Parliamentary and Financial Secretary for War. Mr. Shinwell was a garment worker by profession and a Trade Unionist.

WHO'S WHO

Hugh Gaitskell, 47, newly appointed Minister of Fuel and Power has been Shinwell's Parliamentary Secretary since May, 1946.

Mr. Philip Noel-Baker, 57, son of a Canadian-born engineer, who becomes Minister of Commonwealth Relations, was as Minister of State Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin's right-hand man after the general election of 1945. A year later he became Secretary for Air. One of the Labour Government's wealthy Minsters, he won his Parliamentary seat in 1929.

Mr. Arthur Henderson, 64, who takes over the Air Ministry, has been attached to a number of Government Departments since he was first returned to Parliament in 1923. When his post as Under-Secretary for India and Burma was reduced in importance with the transfer of power in India, he became Minister of State in the Commonwealth Relations office. He is a Trade Unionist.

Mr. George Strauss, 46, new Minister of Supply is a former Lord privy Seatl. War time Minister of Aircraft Production and finally Parliamentary Secretary to the Transport Ministry.

Mr. Arthur Woodburn, 57, new Secretary of State for Scotland, was former Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Works. Active in the Scottish Labour Party for years, Woodburn won his seat in Parliament in 1939 and during the war held posts as Joint Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Supply and Aircraft Production and Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Secretary for Scotland. He is a Trade Unionist.

Mr. George Buchanan, 57, new Minister of Pensions, is a former Under Secretary for Scotland an active Trade Unionist. He was elected to Parliament in 1922.

Lord Addison, 78, who leaves the Ministry of Commonwealth Relations to become Lord Privy Seal (a sinecure office equivalent to Minster Without Portfolio), is and will remain leader of the House of Lords. He has been leader of the Labour Party in the Lords sinc e1914. He is a former Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Munitions and Minister of Reconstruction (after World War I and was elevated to the Peerage in 1937.

Mr. John Wilmot, 52, who has resigned his post as Minister of Supply, is one of the Labour Party's experts on finance. He joined the Labour Party in 1911 but failed to get a seat in Parliament until 1933. During the war he held a minor post in Mr. Wilston Churchill's Coalitition Government. He was given the Cabinet post of Minister of Supply immediately after 1945 general election.

Mr. Frederick John Bellenger, 53, who leaves his post as Secretary of State for War, is a veteran of active service in both the World Wars and earned a reputation as a persistent champion of the rights of servicemen. He became Financial Secretary to the War Office in August, 1945, and Minister for War a year later.

Mr. Joseph Westwood, 62, who leaves the post of Secretary of State for Scotland, has been connected with that Department since 1932, when he became Parliamentary Under Secretary. He was formerly a political organiser in the Scottish coal-fields.

Mr. John B. Hynd, 45, who resigns from the post of Minister of Pensions, which he only recently took over, is an active Trade Union organiser who as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster in 1945 had the difficult task of Minister responsible for the administration of the British zone of Germany.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS DISAPPROVE IT

PARIS, October 6. (Reuter): The French Socialist Party issued an official statement tonight condemning the French Communist party for joining the new International Communist Organisation and criticising Soviet Russia for having adopted an attitude which assumed a conflict between east and west to be inevitable.

The statement, issued by the General Secretariat of the party and thus representative of the opinion of the left as well as the right wing of the party — said: "The declaration of the principal European Communist parties constitute the official rebirth of the 'Communist International.'

"It is further an act of complete subordination of the Communist parties to the policy of the U.S.S.R., even if the latter is often in contradiction with the interests of the international working class."

On the other hand the former French Premier, M. Paul Reynaud Independent Republican party bluntly described the Communist move as an "episode in the battle between two giants."

U.R.P.'s Reaction To "Revived Comintern"

PARIS, Oct. 6, (Reuter): The French Popular Party (MRP) in a vigorous attack on the 'Revived Comintern' last night accused the new Communist 9-nation information Organisation of aiming at 'suppressing by fire and sword the slightest political opposition as typified by Nicolas Petkov, (Bulgarian opposition leader recently executed for 'treason").

"The people of the world know well from which side comes the imperialist threat," Honsieur Albert Gortais, M. R. P. Secretary General said.

He accused the French Communists who belong to the new Comintern French'

"Since the liberation, whenever the French Government has taken up a position in international affairs different from that of the Soviet Government, the French Communists have supported Moscow against France

PT. KUNZRU'S DENIAL

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 6 (API.) Pandit Hirday Nath Kunzru, President, Servants of India Society has issued the following statement to the press :—

The public is aware that the Government of India invited me recently to discuss with them certain remarks in my statement regarding the situation in the Punjab. Without waiting however for the discussion, they issued a press note accusing me of having brought general charge against British officers in the Indian Army and stating that they felt that as a rule these officers had discharged their duty to the best of their ability. In my statement I said nothing whatsoever of the British Officers in the Indian Army as a whole. I referred only to some of those British officers who served in the Punjab Boundary Force which is certainly not synonymous with the Indian Army.

HEALTH PLAN FOR NORTHERN IRELAND

A comprehensive health service for the people of Northern Ireland, which will be free of direct charge, is the fundamendal purpose of the Northern Ireland Health Services Bill, the text of which was recently published. This is to be achieved through the creation of new agencies but more especially through the re-organisation of existing agencies and their systematic co-ordination. Two new authorities—a General Health Services Board and a Hospital Authority—will be appointed by the Minister of Health. It is estimated that the cost of the new health service will be about £5,510,000.

D. F. Karaka.

Off My Chest

A correspondent from Poona writes:

"I am very glad you have objected to the employment of the Home Guards in raids on sutta dens.

"Sri Morarjibhai or the Commissioner of Police, whoever prepared the scheme for the Home Guards seems to have mistaken the functions of the Home Guards. Home Guards should be there to protect homes.

"The Home Guard Organisation must be such that all citizens will be able to join it and perform their share of work in maintaining the peace of the country. You don't expect an honourable citizen to join the Home Guards to raid dens! The failure of the Home Guard movement to attract a sufficient number of recruits is due to this defect. I would have liked to join any organisation like the Home Guards, but how can I when I am expected to become just an honorary policeman? "

(The Home Member might answer this Poona Citizen's question).

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It is a long time since I have written about Mr. Joachin Alva, who edits the "Forum" magazine. I usually read Mr. Alva's magazine when - he writes something about me, as, for instance, when his paper reviewed me instead of reviewing my last book.

But yesterday I picked up the "Forum" for a special reason. It has an article on "Our Neighbours, Friends and Foes".

While we all know who our Friends and Neighbours are, it was revealing to learn that our "Foes" were: 1) The U. S. Government 2) The American Press "who had been building up a war psychosis", and 3) The Men around Marshall.

This article was particularly amusing by reason of the fact that the U S. Ambassador in India, Dr. Grady, is god-father to the progeny of "Forum" and "Begum".

After which I expect to see Alva Jr. burst out into print with a pamphlet: "My God-father is a Foe".

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Most important statement of the week is that of the Congress President, Acharya Kripalani, who said in Bombay yesterday:

"There is no place for a communal organisation(s) like the Muslim League in the secular State of India."

I am not sure from the reported text whether Acharya Kripalani meant all communal organisations like the Muslim League or "a communal organisation like the Muslim League".

An accurate report is necessary for we would like to know whether Mr. Kripalani wants to exclude all communal organisations like the Muslim League, the Hindu Mahasabha, the R.S.S. or only the League.

It is optimistic of Mr. Kripalani to expect Pakistan to swallow his subsequent statement, namely: "The Congress, which is a non-communal body with a definite economic programme can still function in Pakistan for the uplift of the working class and the peasants."

Pakistan is now a Sovereign State. We keep forgetting that. It will decide for itself who should continue to function there if we are to decide who will function here.

FURTHER ADAPTATION OF INDIA GOVT. ACT

Sequel To New Powers For Consembly President & Speaker Of Legislature

NEW DELHI, Oct. 7 (API.) Under the Government of India Act as adapted by the India Provisional Constitution Order the Powers of Summoning and Proroguing the Dominion Legislature are vested in the Governor-General but it has been suggested by the Constituent Assembly that these Powers should vest in the President of the Constituent Assembly, says a Press Note. That Assembly has also decided that a Speaker should be elected for presiding over its deliberations when functioning as the Central Legislature. Since the Government of India Act, as adapted, only provides for the payment of salary to the President of the Constituent Assembly and not to any other person, a further adaptation of the relevant section has been rendered necessary.

An Order has accordingly been made by the Governor-General under Section 9 of the Indian Independent Act making further adaptations of the Government of India Act as desired by the Constituent Assembly. The Order also rectifies certain errors and commissions of a formal character occurring in the Indian Provisional Constitution Order.

Pakistan's State Negotiating Committee

KARACHI, Oct. 7 (API.) The President of the Pakistan Constituent Assembly, the Associated Press of India reliably understands, has formed a States Negotiating Committee comprising Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan as Chairman; Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar, Raja Ghazanfar Ali Khan, Pir Illahi Bakhsh and Khwaja Shahabuddin as members.

Mr. M. S. Ahmed will be the secretary of the Committee.

The Committee will negotiate with representatives of States regarding their representation and participation in the Constituent Assembly of Pakistan.

AIRFIELD FACILITIES TO K.L.M RESTORED

THE HAGUE, Oct. 6. (Reuter): The Governments of India and Pakistan have given permission to the K.L.M. Netherlands Air Line to use the airfields again at Karachi and Calcutta on the Amsterdam—Batavia route, it was learned here today.

KRIPALANI OUTLINES CONGRESS POLICY

EVACUEE PROBLEM MUST BE SETTLED FIRST FOR PEACE IN INDIA

Communal Organisations Have No Place In The Union, He Emphasises

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

"Every citizen of Pakistan has a right to come to India and domicile here. To refuse him opportunities to this is to belie the whole history of the Congress", declared Mr. Acharya Kripalani, Congress President, this morning in an all-out appeal to the Government of Bombay and the people to help solve the refugee problem that has arisen in the wake of the partition of the country.

Addressing a Press Conference at the Congress House today, Mr. Kripalani said that these unfortunate men were not a party to the partition of the country; they were as much patriots as others; and they solidly voted for the Congress, and, as such, both the Congress and the country were in duty bound, to help them in their hour of danger.

Asked about the advisability of accepting partition and whether that was not responsible for the mass killings, the Congress President replied that they were faced with the problem of choosing between two evils. "We may be wrong, but we have chosen the lesser evil. For the time being it has turned out to be the greater evil".

Discussing the future role of the Congress, Mr. Kripalani said that the removal of foreign rule was not the achievement of real Swaraj. "It is only the removal of a hindrance and so far as the ultimate goal is concerned the Congress has yet to fulfil the pledges that have been given unmistakably in its election manifestoes, its resolutions etc".

Mr. Kripalani was emphatic that the Congress could still play a useful role in Pakistan, though he doubted whether it would continue to function there, since it has a definite economic and social programme for the amelioration of the labourers and the peasants.

There was no place for a communal organisation like the Muslim League in the secular State of India, he asserted.

Referring to the refugee problem, Mr. Kripalani said, "I feel that a city like Bombay which is well-known, not only for its philanthrophy, but also for its organising capacity to be able to do more. Most of the refugees who have come to Bombay are from Sind and I do not think their number exceeds more than 10,000

But to find even that frightens people I do not think that there should be any difficulty in absorbing about ten lakhs of people in the Bombay Presidency which has a population of more than twenty million If the problem is tackled in a planned manner it may be that the Presidency may gain ultimately even financially.

NOT NEW

"This is not the first time in world history that large number of people have been obliged to move from one place to another But wherever Governments have determined to help the evacuees, it has been possible to do so. During war years evacuees came from Burma and other countries and they have been absorbed because Government was determined to absorb them

"The evacuees from Pakistan must be the first concern if we want to keep peace in India. Every evacuee who wanders nomeless creates communal feelings No democratic Government can keep the peace without the co-operation of the bulk of the people. A foreign and autocratic Government may keep peace though the people do not co-operate with them.

The bulk of the people of India think that democratic Government has to rely on the goodwill of the people. Administraters may think that they can keep law and order because they are strong But they cannot possibly do it. The non-Muslim evacuees from Pakistan have a just cause. They were never for the partition of India, there were as many active Congressmen among them as in the other provinces of India The bulk of the non-Muslim population in Pakistan voted solidly for the Congress. The Congress organisation and the Congress Governments therefore have a responsibility towards these men.

"Apart from that, the Congress in its aims and its ideals is humanitarian. From that point of view also we have a responsibility to those who have lost their homes and their property.

"To some people property may appear as nothing But in a State which is organised on capitalist basis, some amount of property is necessary not only for maintenance, but also to keep up ones honour. In a capitalist society a pauper cannot keep his honour and self-respect

Therefore it is necessary that schemes be devised for the rehabilitation of evacuees and that these schemes should be carried through as expeditiously as possible if there is to be peace in India.

Mr. Kripalani continued, "We cannot consider evacuees as aliens nor can we afford to consider them as nuisance. I am afraid in some quarters the tendency is to consider them as aliens or at best as nuisance This is a very perverted approach to the question We cannot claim any merit for ourselves simply because we happened to be born or residing in that portion of India which has not been divided.

'Every citizen of Pakistan has a right to come to India and take his domicile here To refuse him opportunities to this is to belie the whole history of the Congress he remarked.

To a question whether this uprooted mass of humanity would create economic stagnation in the country, the Congress President replied in the negative He said that if the problem was approached in an organised way, it could be worked to promote the economic progress of the country In this connection he referred to the statements of Pakistan leaders that the evacuation of non-Muslims was disorganising the economic life of Pakistan.

They knew well that the evacuation of the richest and most enterprising section of the population who were responsible for the progress of Sind, would endanger trade and commerce He estimated that Bombay could get nearly one crore of rupees by way of income tax annually from the merchant class.

The Punjabis, Mr Kripalani continued, were best machinemen and also better cultivators than Marathas and Gujarathis. "There is plenty of land lying uncultivated that need to be put under the plough if proper schemes are worked out" he declared

Replying to a question regarding the justification for the continuance of the Muslim League organisation in India, Mr. Kripalani said that in a secular State like India there was no place for communal organisations. 'Do they want another Pakistan in India?' he asked. The Congress, which was a non-communal body with a definite economic programme, could still function in Pakistan for the uplift of the working class and peasants.

Acharya Kripalani at the Press Conference held yesterday morning.

"RAMDAS" INQUIRY OPENS

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

THE MARINE COURT OF INQUIRY APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TO ENQUIRE INTO THE "RAMDAS" DISASTER COMMENCED ITS HEARING AT THE ESPLANADE COURT. THIS MORNING.

The Chief Presidency Magistrate, Mr. Oscar H. Brown is the presiding authority and the panel of the Court consists of Captain H. Morini, Marine Superintendent of the Moghul Line, Captain R. S. Freakes, Master of the S.S. "Itria" and Mr. K. J. Khambatta a City Presidency Magistrate.

Mr. N. K. Petigara, Public Prosecutor, Bombay, appeared on behalf of the Government of India. Mr. Sohrab D. Vimadalal appeared for the owners of the S.S. "Ramdas" the Indian Co-operative Navigation and Trading Co. Ltd., Mr. Caroe appeared for the Master of the ship and Mr. I.S. Haji for the people of Janjira State of which the ill-fated ship had a large complement of passengers.

In his opening address Mr. Petigara gave a resume of the construction of the vessel which stated that the Ramdas' was a twin screw steamer of 158.41 tons register. She was classed AI in Lloyd's and had a draft of 7'-4" forward and 9'-10" aft. She had a passengers' certificate for 1.052 passengers.

At the time of the disaster she was in the command of Mr. Sheikh Suleman Ibrahim who held a Home Trade Master's ticket since December 1923.

She was plying between Bombay and Goa since 1936 and her strips were mostly subject to fair weather. During the war she was requisitioned by the Ministry of War Transport and derequisitioned at the end of 1946.

He thereafter proceeded to narrate the circumstances in which the ship foundered but made it clear that all the information was however collated from what the Captain of the ship had stated and the material supplied by other officials.

"This Court has assembled to inquire into one of the grimmest tragedies in the history of coastal shipping", he observed and added that it was for the Court to ascertain facts as they emanated from evidence that would be forthcoming in the course of the Inquiry.

According to the statements before him the ship on that fateful day the 15th of July cast off from Ferry Wharf with 673½ passengers. She had no cargo except the passengers' luggage. She sailed for Rewas at 8-5 a.m. She had completed her annual survey on the 7th July and had been employed on this run from 15th July making one trip to Rewas and back daily.

The weather on that day was said to be the S. W. monsoon, the wind blowing force 4 from S.W. with the sea rough with an overcast sky and a slight drizzle. The previous night there were frequent and violent squalls and it is stated that the weather appeared to be moderating when the 'Ramdas' left the wharf.

Till the South Karanjia Buoy was reached the ship followed customary courses and behaved normally according to the Captain, remarked Mr. Petigara. When approaching the Buoy, however, at a distance of about 5 cables from it, the Captain observed a heavy sea and a swell ahead, and as the vessel was about to enter the Dharamtar creek he saw an oncoming squall. He therefore, decided to reduce the ship's speed to 'Slow Ahead." At this time the Buoy was abeam to Port and about 2 to 3 cables off

Then the ship passed the Buoy and suddenly heeled violently to Port by a large sea from a South Westerly direction. The passengers are alleged to have crowded on the Port side of the ship which shift of top weight, it is stated, prevented her recovering from the inclination. She was then struck by a second and larger wave while she was still listing. This caused her to heel still further to Port till her positive stability rapidly disappeared and it is alleged that with the heavy and continuous entry of water over the lee gunwale of the main deck her stability was lost altogether. She turned on her side and sank within two minutes of passing the Buoy at 8-35.

They could make very little use of the life saving apparatus.

The sudden and unexpected nature of the foundering was stated to have prevented the display of distress signals by the ship's authorities.

Several rafts and lifebuoys were, however, thrown into the water as a result of which 232 lives were saved

The ship's speed at the time of sinking was 11 knots.

At this stage Mr. Petigara pointed out to the Court that according to the Captain the ship was lost 2 cables off South Karanjia Buoy. An intense search was made and the ship was not found where she was said to have foundered.

On the 9th of August, the wreck was located about two miles South and East of South Karanjia Buoy, that is about a mile and three quarters away from where the Master said the ship was lost.

At this stage, Mr. Petigara emphasised that the Court would have to check up, from evidence that would come before it, the following facts.

The Court in the first place would have to seek answer to questions regarding the cause of the loss of the ship.

(1) Whether the loss was caused directly or indirectly due to the incompetency of the Master, the Chief Officer and other officers on board.

(2) Whether all possible measures were taken to ensure the safety of the passengers, and to prevent loss of life.

(3) The question of the stability of the ship would also have to be considered.

(4) It would have to be ascertained whether she was normally a stable ship.

(5) Did her stability allow shifting of passengers from one side to the other and in that weather.

(6) Whether such shifting did take place and what did the Master do to prevent or regulate such shifting or could they have done anything more.

(7) Weather. Was it bad? If so, should the ship have been taken out. Whether having been taken out could it be brought back If so who was responsible for this.

Concluding this questionnaire he said that all the while the ship was within the limits of the Bombay harbour.

Earlier Mr. Petigara pointed out that there was a discrepancy between the number of passengers given by the Captain and the figure obtained from the tickets sold.

The court rose for lunch after inspecting the charts placed before it.

Mr. K. J. Khambatta, it was later learnt was not one of the panel but just sat to watch the proceedings. He left the Court after about 45 minutes.

The enquiry was adjourned till Wednesday morning as on Tuesday afternoon the third assessor who had been originally selected was not able to be present.

Mr. Oscar Brown made a suggestion that before the Court of Inquiry resumed it would be proper to have a panel of four assessors though it would be quite in order if the Inquiry was carried on with only two assessors.

In view of the public importance of the Inquiry and in order to have a balanced tribunal, it was decided to have one representative of the R.I.N. and one of the Home Trade.

So the Court of Inquiry will resume on Wednesday with the C. P. M., Captain Morini, Captain Freakes, Commander Murray-Clarke and a Home Trade Captain. The other captains on the panel are Board of Trade ticket-holders.

(Continued from Col. 2.)

Two C. P. Parliamentary Secretaries Resign

NAGPUR, Oct. 6 (A.P.I.): Two Parliamentary Secretaries to the C.P. Ministry have resigned their posts this evening and have intimated their decision to the Leader of the Congress Party in C. P. and Berar Legislative Assembly, Pandit Ravi Shankar Shukla. They are Pandit Kunjilal Dubey, (Chief Parliamentary Secretary to the Premier) and Dr. Kubchand Baghel (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Health).

Leaguers Still Talking In Same Old Strain

Kazmi's Appeal To Jinnah To Make Public Denunciation Of Inflammatory Utterances

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 6 (A.P.I.): An appeal to the Governor-General of Pakistan, Mr. M. A. Jinnah to make public denunciation of inflammatory utterances by Muslim League leaders is made by Mr. M. A. Kazmi ex-M.L.A. (Central) in a statement.

Mr. Kazmi says: "The statement of Mr. M. H. Gazdar goes to show that the irresponsible method of talk which had been customary with the League leaders has not yet come to an end.

"It was expected that with the division of India and creation of Pakistan, the League leaders would also begin to feel the burden of responsibility and talk with a sense and in a saner mood. But unfortunately, we find that some of the League leaders, especially from Pakistan, are yet talking in the same old strain.

"Unfortunately for us, probably, they have not attained the heights they were aspiring for, and want to get them at an early moment. Their statements appear to be a result of that desire.

"Some time back we had such a statement from the chivalrous knight of old regime now known as Mr. Feroze Khan Noon and to-day we find that Mr. M. H. Gazdar is flying with him in this direction. The late Knight was the first to revive the memory of Halaku Khan and Chengiz Khan in his well-known speech at the All-India Muslim League Council in Delhi.

THEY ARE SAFE IN THEIR HOMES

"As a result of those inflammatory speeches, unfortunately for us, those barbarities have come into existence but the chivalrous Knight is safe in his home. Mr. Gazdar, similarly safe in his home, is talking of "Mujahids" but he does not know the repercussions of such wild and inflammatory statements in these abnormal times. Persons who are responsible for the devastation of the humanity and the country are yet free to talk in that strain.

"Qaid-e-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah, burdened with heavy responsibility for the maintenance of peace and order cannot, we are sure, approve of such statements at this stage. But mere non-approval in private is not sufficient. We appeal to Qaid-e-Azam to make a public denunciation of such utterances.

SOVIET ACCEPTS BRITISH PROPOSAL

Pakistan To Be Consulted On Future Of Italian Colonies

LONDON, October 6, (Reuter): The Soviet representative at the deputies conference on the future of the former Italian colonies in Africa agreed today to a British request that Pakistan should be added to a Soviet list of interested parties who should be consulted.

Russia had proposed that interested Governments should be defined as those countries which signed the Italian Peace Treaty and those countries with territorial claims on the former Italian Empire

This definition would not have included Pakistan, which was not an independent state at the time of the signature of the Italian Peace Treaty, but on the proposal of Sir Noel Charles the British Deputy, M. George Zarubin for the Soviet Union said he would add Pakistan to his list if it were adopted

BOYD ORR SAYS

FOOD SHORTAGE MAY TAKE HEAVIER TOLL THAN WAR

LAKE SUCCESS, (New York), Oct. 7 (Reuter): Sir John Boyd Orr, Director General of the Food and Agricultural Organisation, told the United Nations Economic Committee here last night, "The number of people in Europe and Asia who will die from direct or indirect effects of the food shortage in the next 12 months will be greater than the number killed in the fighting or in the bombing in any year of the war".

Sir John warned that the crisis would not end with 1948 harvest but the shortage would continue for many years. The General Assembly agenda contained no reference to world food and economic difficulties, he said, adding: "This presents an opportunity to the nations assembled here to concentrate less on the political problems which engender misunderstanding and conflict and concentrate more on the concrete problems on which there can be no misunderstanding".

Stressing that the food situation in Asia is just as bad as in Europe, Sir John said that because of the anticipated increase in population, food production would need to be increased 110 per cent in the next 25 years for the population of the world

U. P. Leaguer's Response To Azad

To Proceed To Punjab And N.W.F.P. To Study Situations

LUCKNOW, Oct. 7 (U.P.I.): Mr. Rizwanullah, former Secretary of the Provincial Muslim League and Chief Whip of the League Party in the U. P. Legislative Assembly it is learnt has booked air passage to proceed to the Punjab and N.W.F.P. accompanied by eight other Leaders to study the situation obtaining there by the end of this week.

It may be recalled that in response to an appeal by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Education Member, Government of India, for volunteers to work for peace in both the Punjabs, Mr. Rizwanullah wired to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and Maulana Abul Kalam Azad offering his services.

APPEAL NOT TO SLAUGHTER COWS

The Advisory Board of the All-India Cattle Dealers Association, Aligarh, have appealed to Muslims to help" easing the present communal tension by voluntarily abstaining from sacrificing cows in the territories of the Indian Union on the occasion of Bakrid this year."

Twenty-five members of the Aligarh Muslim University Staff have endorsed the appeal

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STEEL SHARES QUIET BUT TEXTILE ISSUES STEADY

Cotton Prices Declared On General Realising

Bullion Market Quiet With Less Demand

Bombay, October 7

The local Share Bazar was quiet today under scattered selling with a view to secure profits on a portion of speculative purchases. The recent sharp rise in Steel shares is more or less a technical squeeze and unless Steel prices are raised it will be difficult to sustain the price structure as there is absence of investment as well as outside support It is true that we had a fairly big short interest and the market was entitled to a natural recovery, but so far there are no constructive developments. Bull operators expect early announcement of increase in the price of cotton textiles, Steels and Cement. If such increases become a fact, the market will be pushed up. However heavy short covering is weakening the technical situation and it will be advisable to await further developments.

To-day the attention of the market was directed to cotton mill shares on the belief that the increase in textile prices will be announced soon Tata Steel shares were quiet to-day with increased selling. At the opening Defds were quoted at Rs. 1885 and improved at Rs. 1910 on moderate buying but thereafter the market declined on increased profit-taking and Defds declined at Rs. 1872. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 379 and declined at Rs. 374. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1112 and advanced at Rs. 1143, but reacted at Rs. 1122. Kohinoors opened at Rs. 575 and improved at Rs. 580. Simplex shares opened at Rs. 236 and after improving at Rs. 240 reacted at Rs. 238. Swadeshi shares opened at Rs. 607 and improved at Rs. 615.

Towards the close there was moderate support but after the close there was more disposition to offer. In the mean time operators are awaiting Jamshedpur production figures but recent buyers were mostly sellers today.

MILL SHARES

Bombay Dyeing 1147/8 Kohinoor 586 Swadeshi 622 Nagpur 319 Simplex 242 New Great 383 Gokak 343 Indore 600 Century 982/8 Colaba 250 I Bleaching 147 Swan 347 Finlay 300 Morarji 565 Edward 710 Meyer 233/12 Apollo 5/2 I U Ordinary 16/5 U Defd 3/1 Madhusudan 285 Poddar 340 Khatau 345

STEEL SHARES

Tata Steel Ord 377 Tata Steel Defd 1887/8 Second 153/3

CEMENT

Associated Merger 165

INDUSTRIES

Burma 486/4 Belapur 275 Shivrajpur 36/8 Scindia 34/6 Construction 196 Tata Chemical 14/4 Tata Oil 69 Indian Iron 36 Bengal Steel X D 28

ELECTRIC SHARES

Tram Ord 126 Tata Hydro 182 Andhra 1615 Power 1790

MILLS (CASH)

Elphinstone 84 Phoenix 1305 Ind. Mfg. 4460 Kooria 257/8 Dawn 1545 David 152/8 New City 215 Minerva 200 Bradbury 615 Bharucha (Defd.) 7/4 Bharat 49/8 Mysore 285 Madhavji 19 Model 205 Laxmi 1655 Vishnu 666/4 Western 4325 Standard 508/12 Sholapur 6060 Sassoon Cotton 18/8 Hindustan 4500 Tata 80 Ahmedabad Advance 427/9 Sassoon Silk 75/8 New Union 19/12 Madhusudan 292/8 Shrinivas 380 Raja Bahadur 116/4 Berar 280 Victoria 425 Kohinoor Cpn. 53 Simplex Cpn. 123

ELECTRIC SHARES (CASH)

Ahmedabad 146/14 (New) 115 Surat 171/14 New Prem 110 Karachi 155 Broach 12/8 Ajmer 12/8 Amalgamated 20/4 Nagpur 56/8 Poona 165 Bombay Suburban 156/4 Bombay Suburban (New) Prem. 90

BANK SHARES

Reserve 115 Imperial 2270 P P 557/8 Central 88 Coupon 19 India 244/8 Union 10 Baroda 160 Habib 153/8 Dena Bank 60 United Commercial 67/4 Jaipur 58 Hindustan Com. 43 Mysore 367/8

RECORD OF ACTUAL TRANSACTIONS IN SHARES.

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

MILLS.

Apollo 4/2 4/1/6 4/2 4/1 4/2 Bharat 51 49/8 B. Dyeing 1115 40 22/8 37/2 30 50 47/8 C. India 314 16 11 19 E. Textiles 705 10 5 10 Elphinstone (Ord.) 85 83/8 84 Elphinstone (Pref.) 125/10 Finlay 306 5 9 6 8 7 9 Gokak 337 33 39 36 43 I. U. (Defd.) 3/1 3/0/6 3/1 I. U. (Ord.) 16 16/2 16 16/6 16/4 16/8 Indore 590 600 Khatau 347/8 45 Kohinoor 578 73 80 75 83 78 89 86 Madhusudan 285 Meyer 232/8 31/4 36/4 33/12 Model 205 Morarji 555 57/8 52/8 35 52/8 55 New City 215 New Great 382 80 83 Podar 332/8 40 Shreenivas 380 Simplex 240 37 39 38 42 Swadeshi 605 3 5 2 12 5 11 9 22 Swan 349 47 Tata Mills 77 80 Vishnu 665 66/4 C. P. Rly. 108/12

BANKS.

Baroda 160 Central 87/8 88/8 88 Imperial (Old) 2270 65 70 Imperial (New) 557/8 55 57/8 India 244 44/8 Reserve 116 15 Union 10 U. Commercial 68/8 67/4

ELECTRIC.

Ahmedabad 146/14 Andhra Valley 1615 17/8 18 Andhra Valley (Pref.) 1400 B. Tram (Ord.) 126 25/8 26/4 26 Hydro 181 82 Surat 171/4 Power 1780 90

INSURANCE.

New India 74 73/8 Vulcan 15 14/14 Scindia 34/8 34/1 34/6 34/1 34/5 34/1 34/5

STEEL.

B. Steel 28/3 28/6 28 (Ex. Div.) I. Iron 35/15 36/6 35/12 36 Tata (Defd.) 1885 75 1915 1870 80 60 75 70 90 75 87/8 Tata (Ord) 376 80 72 75 74 77 Tata (IInd Pref.) 153 53/8 53/4

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 616/4 20 A.C.C. (Old) 166 65 66/8 65 A.C.C. (New) 96 Belapur 276 73 75 B. B. (Old) 490 87/8 92/8 85 87/8 86 87/8 86/4 B. B. (New) 161/4 60 B. B. Petrol 3/3/6 3/1/9 3/2/6 I. I. Trust 102/8 P. Const. 200 197 98 95 96 95 96 P. Const. (IInd Pref.) 126/4 Shivrajpur 36/8 Tata Chem. 14/2 14/4 Tata Oil 70/8 69/8 70 69 Wimco 275 76/4

SPECIAL.

Central Coupon 80 19 Central Bank (New) 89/8 88 Kohinoor Coupon 53 Simplex Coupon 122 24 23 Laxmi Cotton (Pref.) 307/8 Jost's Engineering 230 Haydari Const. 17.

Erchange (Ord). 46 Eastern 106

INSURANCE

Oriental 6300 Empire 760 New India 73/8 Jupiter 33/12 Vulcan 14/14 Indian Mercantile 54/8 Universal Fire 15/12 British India General 21/14 Ind. Prud. 36/8 Neptune 7/8 New Great 27 All-India General 31

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MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock 620 Steamer 560 Burma New 160 B B Petrol 3/2/6 Mackenzie 150 Port Canning 75 Kemp 500 Zandu Pharmacy 190 Indian Investment Trust 102/8 Wimco 276/4 Dharamsey Chemical 33/8 Mukund Iron 12/2 Dena Trust 20 Alembic 252/8 Supreme India 142/8 Jamwire 110 Bombay Uganda 80 Bombay Motor Cycle 42 India Cement 32 Walchand Nagar Industries 310 United Motor 70 A.C.C. New 96 Bombay Safe Deposit 865 Hydro Construction 17/14

PREFERENCE SHARES.

Tata Steel (1st Pref.) 206/4 Tram 50 Andhra Valley 1400 Tata Power 1460 Hydro 135 Bombay Steamer 323/12 Nagpur 710 Swadeshi 146/4 Vishnu 852/8 Laxmi 307/8 New Great 268/12 Poddar 115 Shrinivas 101 Elphinstone 126/4 Bradbury 537/8 Surat Elec. 171/4 Premier Construction (1st Pref.) 127/8 (Second Pref.) 128/12 Amalgamated 138 Habib 72 Tata Chemical 115 Walchand Nagar Industries 250 Jupiter 17/10 Supreme 120 Meyer 125 Mackenzie First 127/8 Mackenzie Second 125 Ahd. Advance 145 Mysore Mill 51 Standard 100

DEBENTURES

Andhra 1952 (4) 103/8 B. Steamer 1959 (8) 107 [Hume Pipe (6) 111 Tata Power 1951—102/8 Walchandnagar (6) 117

OUTSIDE SHARES

Indian Copper 3/4 B I C 8/12 Burma Corporation 4/3 New Victoria 5/2 New Victoria Preference 6/8 Raja 29 Phalton 90 Gold Mohor 305 Kaiser-i-Hind 380 Sajjan 280 Osmanshahi 255 Ajamshahi 220 Air Service 13/12 Air India 176/4 Ambica 13/12 Hind Motors 7/12 I Steam 13/12 Sone Valley 9/8

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GOLD & SILVER

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

The Bullion Market was again quiet with moderate selling. It seems that professional operators are not inclined to support the market and steadily prices are going down.

The market opened today at Rs. 163/4 for Forward Silver and declined at Rs. 162/8 on moderate selling. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 163/2, Forward Gold opened at Rs. 106/4 and declined at Rs. 105/8 on increased offerings. Ready Gold was quoted at Rs. 106/2 and Sovereigns were placed at Rs. 70/4.

Final quotations were as under:—

	Rs. as. p.
Ready Silver	163 12 0
Forward Silver	163 2 0
Ready Gold	105 10 0
Forward Gold	105 2 0

BOMBAY COTTON

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

The local cotton market was quiet today under scattered selling. It appears that in view of the recent rise in prices professional operators are acting cautiously.

The market opened today as expected at Rs. 472. At the opening there was scattered buying which improved January contract at Rs. 472/8. At this level the demand was satisfied and the market began to decline on moderate profit-taking. January quietened at Rs. 471/4 while March contract business was done at Rs. 476/4 and May option was quoted at Rs. 483/12.

Later on trading was restricted and January contract steadied at Rs. 471/8 under scattered buying while March was quoted at Rs. 476/8.

Later on there was increased selling and January declined at Rs. 469/8. The market closed at 4-30 p.m. as under:—

I.C.C. January	469	12	0
I.C.C. March	474	12	0
I.C.C. May	482	0	0

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES.

BOMBAY, Oct. 6.

	Hi	Lo.	Closing at 4-30 p.m.
Kanuary	4/4-1/4	472	473-3/4
March	479	477	478-1/2
May	486	484	485-3/4

INDIAN COTTON PARITY.

Indian Cotton January Contract is 1307 cent points below New York January at exchange rate 331.

AMERICAN COTTON CROP.

The International Statistical Bureau estimates condition 70.9 per cent and probable production 11,671,000 Bales.

PRODUCE MARKET

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

The Produce Market was quietly steady today with a restricted business. Quotations were as under:—

GROUNDNUTS: Khandesh quality ready Rs. 31/8, Bold Rs. 30/8 and Coromondal Rs. 29/12, Khandesh quality November-December Rs. 27, Bold November-December Rs. 26/10 and December-January Rs. 25/10, Oil October Rs. 17/1, November Rs. 16/3 and December Rs. 15/12.

CASTORSEEDS: Ready Rs. 32/8 and Cawnpore Bold Rs. 31, May delivery opened at Rs. 130/4 and improved at Rs. 130/14 but declined at Rs. 130/2 and steadied at Rs. 130/6. Oil first pressing Rs. 21/8. Commercial quality Rs. 20.

The market finally closed at Rs. 130/1 for May Castorseeds.

LINSEED: Ready Rs. 32, September-October Rs. 30/10 and February-March Rs. 26/9. Oil Rs. 18/9.

GOVERNMENT LOANS

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

	Rs. as. p.
2-1/2 p.c. 1954	98 12 0
2-1/2 p.c 1950	100 14 0
2-1/2 p.c. 1961	97 7 0
2-3/4 p.c. 1948-52	101 3 0
2-3/4 p.c. 1960	99 15 0
2-3/4 p.c. 1976	99 8 0
3 p.c. Non-Terminable	100 12 0
3 p.c. 1986 Com.	101 2 6
3 p.c. 1949-52	102 6 0
3 p.c. 1951-54	102 13 0
3 p.c. 1953-55	102 13 0
3 p.c. 1957	102 13 0
3 p.c. 1959-61	102 5 0
3 p.c. 1966-68	101 15 0
3 p.c. 1970-75	102 0 0
3-1/2 p.c. 1947-50	100 6 0
3-1/2 p.c. 1954-57	105 14 0
4 p.c. 1948-53	103 0 0
4 p.c. 1960-70	113 12 0
4-1/2 p.c. 1950-55	106 0 0
4-1/2 p.c. 1955-60	114 6 0
4-1/2 p.c. 1958-68	117 8 0

PROVINCIAL LOANS

2-3/4 p.c. U. P. 1961	98	8	0
2-3/4 p.c. Madras 1961	99	0	0
3 p.c. Bombay 1955	102	2	0
3 p.c. Bombay 1958	102	0	0
3 p.c. Punjab 1949	99	8	0
3 p.c. Madras 1952-53	101	0	0
3 p.c. Punjab 1952	99	8	0
3 p.c. U. P. 1952	101	0	0
3 p.c. C. P. 1952	101	0	0
3 p.c. N.-W. F. 1952	100	8	0
3 p.c. U. P. 1961-66	101	2	0
3 p.c. Bombay Port Trust	113	0	0
4 p.c. Bombay Municipality City	113	0	0
5 p.c Bombay Municipality 1959	118	0	0
6 p.c. Bombay Municipality 1954	122	0	0
3-1/4 p.c. 1977	101	3	0
6 p.c. K P. T.	122	0	0

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE.

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

Tata Ordinary 377; Tata Deferred 1887/8; Indian Iron 36; Steel Corpn. of Bengal 28; Bombay Dyeing 1147/8; Central India 318/10; Gokak 343/2; Kohinoor 586/4; Simplex 242; Swadeshi 621/14; Tata Power 1790; Associated Cement 165; Belapur 275; Bombay Burma (Old) 486/4; Scindia 34/5. Central Bank 88/2; New India 73/2; Tata 2nd Pref. 153/2.

CHICAGO WHEAT:

CHICAGO, Oct. 6

December 2.80-1/2 to 2.79-3/4.
March 2.77-1/2 to 2.77-1/2.
May 2.67-3/4 to 2.68.
July 2.45-3/4 to 2.45-1/2.

LONDON WHEAT.

London, Oct. 6.

Australian Wheat (bulk) F. O. B. 109/6 Oct.-Nov.

WALL STREET MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.

Stocks resumed recovery trend after initial hesitancy but activity was limited in view of the uncertainty over week-end developments including the formation of a new European comintern to combat the Marshall plan. Fractional gains were fairly widespread with selected oils, steels, aviations, chemicals and rubbers in the foreground. The averages were industrials 179.50 and rails 49.23. Limited but persistent profit-taking brought. Narrow irregularity for a while but the pressure was absorped, and buyers regaining control of the situation pushed the market to new high levels for the day. Gains of fractions to one point predominated led by motors, oils, minings, aviations and steels. The last named reflected scheduled operations of 96.1 per cent of rated capacity this week or the highest since early June. Prices faltered in late dealings with the increased pressure in rails spreading and serving to reduce or eliminate numerous earlier advances. The market closed irregular with the composite average rate only slightly higher.

American Telephone and Telegraphs	157-5/8
Amerex Holding Co.	29-1/4
Anaconda Copper Mining	35-1/8
Chase National Bank	34-7/8
Sinclair Oil	16
Firestone Tyre & Rubber Co.	50-7/8
General Electric Co.	36-1/8
General Motors	59
Ingorsol Rand	130
International Nickel	28-7/8
National City Bank of New York	41
New York Central Rail Road Co.	14-7/8
Socony Vacuum Corporation	16-1/4
Texas Corporation	57-1/4
Union Carbon & Carbide	103-1/4
U. S. Smelting Refining Mining Co.	48
U. S. Steel Corporation Common	72-3/4
Western Union Telegraph Co.	24-7/8

ITALO-ARGENTINE TRADE TREATY TO BE SIGNED.

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): Maurizio Grimaldi, last remaining delegate of the Italian Mission which began negotiations on the Italian-Argentina Trade Treaty last January, confirmed today that the negotiations have ended.

He added that the treaty will be signed this week. Grimaldi said that the Argentine Foreign Office probably will release an announcement sometime today.

CHICAGO GRAINS ACTIVE

CHICAGO, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): Trading was active on the Chicago Commodity Exchange today. Prices swung over wide limits as a result of the latest Administration proposals to conserve supplies and check speculative activity which brought recurring waves of discouraged liquidation.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, Oct. 7.

B. O. Rates T. T. D. D 1/5 15/16 Ready.

B. C. Rates T. T. D. D, 1/5 29/32 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D 1/5 31/32 Ready.

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D 1/5 15/16 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Buying T. T. 1/5 1/32 to 9th Months.

Londan Banks Buying T. T. 1/5 1/16 10th 12th Month

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/5 1/16 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/5 3/32 5th and 6th Month

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/5 1/8 7th 9th Month

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/5 1/8 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/5 5/32 5th and 6th Month

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/5 3/16 7th and 9th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/5 5/32 to 4th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/5 3/16 5th and 6th Month

London Banks Buying 120 d/st 1/5 7/32 7th and 9th Month

New York and Montreal B. C. Rate T. T. Rs. 332 1/4

Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs 332 1/4

Banks Buying T T Rs. 330

Banks Buying D. D. N. Y. Rs 328 3/4

Banks Buying D. D. N. Y. Rs. 329.

Montreal Rs. 328 3/4 under L/C.

Montreal Rs 328 1/2 but under L/C

Paris Banks Selling T. T. Fcs 3650

Paris Banks Buying T T Fcs 3650

Amsterdam Banks Selling T. T. D. D Fl. 79.

Java Banks Selling T. T. D. D. ——

Hongkong Banks Selling T. T. D. D Rs. 84.

Singapore Banks Selling T. T. D. D Rs. 157.

London Discts. 3 Months 17/32 p.c.

London Discts 6 Months 9/16-5/8 p.c.

Reserve Bank Rate 3 p.c, Bank of England Rate 2 p.c.

Money:—Call 1/2 p.c 3 Months 1/2 p.c, 6 Months 3/4 p.c, 12 Months 1 1/4 p.c.

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SALES OF TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. Four Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 7th October. Total amount offered was Rs. 6,51,00,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-14-6 were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-14-3 allotted approximately 67 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. Four Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 0-7-0 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday the 14th October upto 11 a.m. at all centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday the 17th October.

During the week ended the 3rd October Government of India, Treasury Bills for Rs. 2,20,00,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

In view of holidays no auction will be held on the 21st October.

TATA HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY CO.

Proposals For Nationalisation Of Industry Are Premature, Says Sir H. Mody

"In view of the statements which have been made from time to time by a section of the public on the question of nationalisation, I think it is necessary to say that, in my opinion, a State monopoly of the electric power industry would retard the progress of the country. It would neither be in the interests of the large body of consumers nor of the thousands of workers engaged in the industry", observed Sir Homi Mody, the Chairman of the Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Co. Ltd., in his speech at the annual general meeting of the Company held on Tuesday afternoon. "It is necessary to emphasise in this connection", continued Sir Homi Mody "that in the Companies that comprise the Tata Hydro-Electric System the standard of service rendered to consumers, from the viewpoint of efficiency and reliability, is unexcelled, and the rates charged for the power supplied are the lowest in India and compare favourably with those charged in other important industrial centres of the world for equivalent service. It is no exaggeration to claim that the electric service provided by the Tata Hydro-Electric System has contributed, in no small measure, to the development of Bombay and the surrounding areas."

Government Policy

Sir Homi mentioned that fortunately there had been some recognition recently from official sources that whatever legislation was undertaken should provide for sound and equitable regulation and that it was not the policy of the Government to proceed with the wholesale nationalisation of the Industry. He referred to the Press Note issued by the Government of Bombay on August 27 in which it was stated that it was not at present a part of the Electric Grid proposals of the Government to buy out existing licenses or to go beyond the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act 1910, relating to the purchase of electric supply undertakings. According to Sir Homi, this was very heartening to the large body of people interested in the fortunes of the industry, whether as consumers, investors or workers.

"No one can question", said Sir Homi, "the desirability of sound legislation that will enable Government to implement its policy with regard to electrical development and provide for fair regulation of the existing electric supply undertakings on a uniform basis throughout the entire country. The Electricity Bill (1946) as drafted contains, however, a number of provisions that are considered to be inequitable to existing electric supply undertakings and that will restrict their future development. This, together with the absence until recently of a clear and definite statement as to their policy with regard to the nationalisation of the industry, has caused a great deal of uncertainty that has been detrimental to the interests of the investors and the industry as a whole."

Burden Of Taxation

The sales of electricity during the past year, the Chairman revealed, were affected by the reduction in factory working hours introduced by legislation and by a general decline in industrial activity caused by such factors as labour unrest and the civil disturbances that occurred during the year.

The net profit was 23.8 per cent less than last year and this decrease was principally due to the heavy increase in the burden of taxation, despite decline in earnings. "The Business Profits Tax in particular", declared Sir Homi, "operates harshly and inequitably in the case of conservatively financed Companies such as yours because of the extraordinary method laid down for determining the capital employed in the business and the low rate of return allowed thereon before this additional tax of 16 2/3 per cent becomes effective".

Tribute to Mr. J. R. D. Tata

In the course of his speech, the Chairman paid a tribute to Mr. J.R. D. Tata, who relinquished the office of the Chirman and Director of the Company last year owing to his other numerous preoccupations.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Oct. 6.

	£
Consols 2-1/2 pc	33-1/4
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 pc 1961	104-1/2
War Loan 3-1/2 pc 1952 and after	103
Funding Loan 4 pc 1960/90	111
Victory Bonds 4 pc	112-5/8
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	11-1/2
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	117-1/2
National Bank of India	33-1/4

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, Oct. 6.

U. S. Price of Foreign Silver 71-3/8 cents

LONDON BULLION.

London, Oct. 6.

Silver Spot 43-1/4 d., Silver Forward 42-3/4 d. Gold £8/12/3.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7, (Reuter): The United States army and navy have exhausted their reserves of cholera vaccine after having shipped 1,000,000 units to Egypt in the past week and it is doubtful whether the United States has immediately at hand resources to meet Egypt's appeal for a futher 1,000,000 units to fight the cholera epidemic. It was learned here last night.

Active Buying Hardens N. Y. Cotton Prices

Grain Dealers Turn To Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): Trading was moderately active and prices strengthened progressively after a steady opening, to close at the day's best levels, during today's session of the New York Cotton Exchange. There was a definite break-away from the influence of grains and expectations of a lower Government estimates on Wednesday were helping to build up constructive sentiment. Professionals believe that any move on the part of the Administration to force up grain margins to 33 per cent of the market prices or any move to curb trading will turn the speculative interest into cotton. A prominent Market Advisory Service was out today telling clients that grain traders were turning to cotton and urged its followers to "stay long over the Bureau report."

FAIR HEDGING.

The market met with a fair amount of hedge selling in excess of 31 cents for December, but spot interests, shippers and mills appeared to be slack, anticipating a higher bureau report and reflecting optimism in the textile trade.

The session opened four lower to three higher. Prices rose gradually thereafter, reaching the day's highs at the close. Finally prices were up 36 to 55 points.

A leading commission house said that "one of the interesting things about the present market is that it has sold six times between 30.68 and 30.75 for December. Those who follow the charts are viewed as believing this indicates the market has pretty well discounted the crop movement and that it is forming the bottom from which, sooner or later prices will advance."

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Oct. 6.

October	31.60+30
December	31.20+40
December Highest	31.21+41
December Lowest	30.94—02
January	31.26+38
March	31.40+39
May	31.22+42
July	30.80+36
October	29.35+39
December	28.95+39
Middling Spot	31.56+40

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, Oct. 6.

October	31.35+45
December	31.25+38
March	31.41+39
May	31.35+45
July	30.78+33
Middling Spot	30.80+35

WORTH STREET TRADING DULL

NEW YORK, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): The usual Monday lull psevailed on the Worth Street Cottin Cloth Market today as selling agents and mills made their customary weekly check on production, sales and inventory positions, but beneath the surface brokers reported continuing inquiry for goods with industrial lines sharing in the widespread demand for lighter weight fabrics which dominated the market for some time past.

Brokers said the advent of cooler weather plus the belief that many garment manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers have allowed inventories to run down suggested the likelihood of increased call for fall lines.

KARACHI MARKETS

KARACHI, Oct. 6.

Cottonseed N. T. Ready 10/8, January 81, Quiet Gold Ready 101/8, Sovereigns 66/12, easier on weak Bombay advices. Cotton ready 4 P. 48/12. Sind N. T. Roller 63/8, Punjab L. S. S. Roller 59. Market steadier on account of good ready remand business about 4,000 Bales.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE RAISES MARGINS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.

Directors of the Chicago Board of Trades voted to increase the down payment made by speculators. In grain futures to 1/3 of the market price. In response to the demand made by President Truman in his speech from the White House yesterday.

The decision will be effective on the opening of trade today.

A Board of Trade spokesman said that the new margin requirement would apply only to future commitments, and not to contracts made before the opening of the exchange.

The new margin equivalent is double the present one.

NEW YORK PEPPER PRICES

NEW YORK, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): Pepper futures closed unchanged to 150 higher with no sales reported. The spot market remained firm and unchanged with swot lampong held at 42 and white muntok at 57 cents.

Closing prices included:

Delivery.	Oct. 6.
October	41 bid.
December	39.50 bid.
January	36.50 bid.
March	33.50 bid.
May/July/Sept.	29 nom.

LONDON PEPPER PRICES.

LONDON, Oct. 6 (U. P. A.): On the London market today, Singapore was quoting Lampong at 1/11-3/4 compared with Kava's offer for afloat of 1/10-1/2. Singapore wanted 2/6 for white while Java wanted 2/5 for white afloat.

LONDON SILVER PRICES.

LONDON, Oct. 6, (U. P. A.): The London silver market was quiet today with prices unchanged. Spot was quoted at 43-1/4 pence per ounce and forward at 42-3/4 pence per ounce.

NEW YORK SILVER UNCHANGED.

NTW YORK, Oct. 6 (U. P. A.): The price of silver was unchanged at 71-3/8 cents on the New York market today. The volume of business done was between 200,000 and 400,000 ounces. Supply and demand were well balanced.

CALCUTTA, Oct. 7, (U. P. A.): The Enforcement branch of the Calcutta Police recovered yesterday at Howrah 2,000 maunds of wheat, 1,500 maunds of adulterated wheat products and 300 bags of tamarind seeds including tamarind seed powder.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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THE CONTROLLER of Stores invites tenders for Reconditioning of Lead Scrap Battery with dust. Forms obtainable from Stores Head Office, Gipstore Lane, Lower Parel, Bombay 13, at Rs. 2|- per copy, not refundable. Money Order or Cash only. Closing date 27-10-1947 at 3 p.m. (S.T.). 5505

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OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, LOWER MAHANADI DIVISION, RAIPUR.

6363 D 4-10-47

TENDER NOTICE

SEALED TENDERS in Form 'A' with an earnest money of Rs. 6,200|- (Rupees Six thousand and two hundred) only will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Lower Mahanadi Division, Raipur, C.P. up to 2-00 p.m. on the 10th November, 1947, for Raising Raipur Pallari Road Class I. The probable amount of contract is Rs. 3,07,000|- and the time allowed for completion is up to 20-3-1949. Other conditions should be ascertained before the fixed date from the Office of the undersigned on any working day.

K. M. CHATTERJEE,
For Executive Engineer,
Lower Mahanadi Division, Raipur.
4-10-47. 5539

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to section 209-A of the Indian Companies Act that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at Bombay on 25th October 1947 at 4-30 P.M. in the noon for transacting the following business:—

1. To nominate a person or persons to be liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets of the Company and to fix his/their remuneration.
2. To appoint a committee of inspection consisting of not more than five persons if they think fit or to approve the personnel of any committee if appointed by the Company.

K. K. VAIDYA,
Managing Director.

Dated 3rd October, 1947. 7157

INDIAN CASES LIMITED

Medows House, Medows Street,
Fort, Bombay.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 209-A of The Indian Companies Act that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at Bombay on 25th October 1947 at 3-30 P.M. in the noon for transacting the following business:

1. To nominate a person or persons to be liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets of the Company and to fix his/their remuneration.
2. To appoint a committee of inspection consisting of not more than five persons if they think fit or to approve the personnel of any committee if appointed by the Company.

V. N. DIXIT,
Managing Director.

Dated 3rd October, 1947. 7158

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY

Directorate General of Industries and Supplies, New Delhi.

TENDER NOTICE

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL of Industries and Supplies, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi invites Tender (No. ST2|78045) to reach him on or before 31-10-1947 on forms (not transferable obtainable from his Office at Rs. 10|- (not refundable) per set to be paid in cash, by Money Order, or Indian Postal Order (quoting tender No., full name and address of the remitter) for:—

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Applicants not already on approved list of Supply Department Contractors, must give their Bankers' reference on their applications for tender forms.

Tender forms are also obtainable from Offices of Directors of Supplies, Bombay, Calcutta, and Deputy Director of Supplies, Madras on payment of the tender fee direct to them.

Tender forms will not be supplied to the firms already blacklisted. 5555

G. I. P. RLY.—TENDERS

THE DY. GENERAL MANAGER (Grainshops), G.I.P. Railway, Bombay V.T., will receive tenders on the prescribed form upto 1 p.m. on 18-10-47 for the supply of milk at the Railway's Grainshops at Dhond and Sholapur from 1-11-47. Tender documents may be obtained free of charge from the above Office. 5552

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from Marathi knowing men B.T.s. belonging to Bombay Province (preferably with Kandivli Diploma) for the posts of Assistant Masters and Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector, in the Western Division in the Grade of Rs. 45-5-115-E.B.-6-175 with Dearness Allowance and Interim Relief, subject to revision. Candidates should present themselves at the Office of the Educational Inspector, Western Division. Old Custom House, Fort, Bombay, with their applications and testimonials, for interview at 2 p.m. on Monday, 13th October. 5554

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from persons with "Approved War Service" and also outsiders who are natives of the Province of Bombay, for appointment to posts of Land Valuation Officers in connection with the Bombay Agricultural Debtors Relief Act, in the Co-operative Department.

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PAY:—Rs. 95-5-130 plus additional pay and dearness allowance admissible under the existing orders of Government.

QUALIFICATIONS:—The candidate must have taken a degree in Arts, Science, Commerce, Agriculture or Law or have obtained the Government Diploma in Co-operation and Accountancy.

AGE:—25 years in the case of Advanced class, and 28 years in the case of Intermediate or Backward Class as on 1st November 1947. In the case of candidates with 'Approved War Service', in computing the candidate's age, the period of war service will be excluded.

Persons already in Government service may also apply, if they are permitted by the Heads of their Departments. In their case, the educational qualifications mentioned above will be relaxed, if they are otherwise found suitable.

The selected candidates will be required to undergo training at the 'Co-operative Training College Poona' for such period as may be prescribed before they are appointed to the posts. During the period of training, they would be permitted to draw pay at the rate of Rs. 75/- p.m.

Candidates should apply in the prescribed form of application obtainable on requisition from the office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies and Director of Agricultural Marketing and Rural Finance, Bombay Province, Poona on a cash payment of Re. 1/- or on receipt of a self addressed envelope with 2½ annas stamps and accompanied by an Indian Postal Order NOT CROSSED for Re. 1/- in favour of the Personal Assistant to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies and Director of Agricultural Marketing and Rural Finance, B. P. Poona 1, so as to reach the undersigned before 31ST OCTOBER 1947. Payment by postage stamps will not be accepted.

No reply will be given to unsuccessful candidates.

B. P. PATEL (I.C.S.).
Registrar, Co-operative Societies and Director of Agricultural Marketing and Rural Finance, Bombay Province
Poona 1.
Poona, Oct. 6 1947. 5546

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 209-A of the Indian Companies Act that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at Bombay on 25th October, 1947 at 5-30 p.m in the afternoon for transacting the following business:—

1. To nominate a person or persons to be liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets of the Company and to fix his/their remuneration.
2. To appoint a committee of inspection consisting of not more than five persons if they think fit or to approve the personnel of any committee if appointed by the Company.

R. N. GOKHALE,
Managing Director.

Dated 3rd October, 1947. 7156

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND SUPPLY

Office of the Textile Commissioner,
Wittet Road, Ballard Estate,
BOMBAY

Dated, 7th October, 1947.

TENDERS are invited from established firms for storing upto 35,000 bales of cotton cloth in Bombay. Government will make their own arrangements for the insurance of the goods during the period of storage, but this will not absolve the storage agent from responsibility for loss due to his negligence.

2. Every tender should indicate separately the rates for storage and for giving ex-godown delivery.

3. Tenders in sealed covers should be submitted by 12 noon on 18th October, 1947, to the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Section CYC-6, Third Floor, Shahibag House, Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.

4. The Textile Commissioner reserves to himself the right to reject the lowest or any tender.

T. SIVASANKAR,
Textile Commissioner. 5547

WANTED.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of CIVIL ENGINEER, Tata Locomotive & Engineering Co., Ltd., Tatanagar, B. N. R., in the scale of pay Rs. 1,000-50-1,200 Intending applicants should be qualified and experienced Civil Engineers. Preference will be given to candidates who are Associate Members of the Institute of Civil and/or Structural Engineers and who have received academical and practical training abroad. The candidate should have Field, Office and Design experience and should be able to take independent charge of the design and execution of all civil engineering works pertaining to plant construction and maintenance, and Town construction and maintenance. A higher starting salary than the minimum of the grade may be given should qualifications and experience warrant. Residential quarters (unfurnished) will be provided at standard rent if available. No conveyance will be provided and no allowance, in lieu thereof, paid.

Applicants must be prepared to travel at their own expense for an interview at these works, if required. Applications giving full particulars of academic qualifications, experience, and past emoluments, together with testimonials should reach the Chief Personnel Officer, Tata Locomotive & Engineering Co., Ltd., Telco Works P.O., Tatanagar, B.N. Rly. on or before 5th November, 1947. 5545

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MOHANLAL MATHURADAS and Others have agreed to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim to or upon or interest in the said property are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Esplanade House, Waudby Road, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the same, if any, will be considered to have been waived and the purchase will be completed without any regard thereto.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

ALL that piece of Municipal Leasehold Land with dwelling house standing thereon, known as Keshavji Chambers, Brahmanwada Road, being plot No. 17 of the Dadar-Matunga (North) Estate of the Municipal Corporation in Bombay, admeasuring 1535 square yards, bearing New Survey No. 303 (part) and Cadastral Survey No 436|10 of Matunga Division and F Ward No. 7823 (9), Street Nos. 2C, 2H, 1C, 1G and bounded, on the North-East by Plot No. 18 of the said Estate on the North-West by plot No. 19 of the said Estate, on the South-West by Brahmanwada Road.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1947.

PAYNE & CO.
Attorneys for Purchaser. 5543

CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

NOTICE

THE DATE of receipt of tenders for the work "A/A to the existing buildings to provide a yellow fever hospital at Santacruz Aerodrome" at an estimated cost of Rs. 62,000/- is changed from 11-10-47 to 14-10-47. The time of receipt and opening the tenders remains unaltered.

Tender forms can be purchased during the office hours from the office of the undersigned on a payment of Rs. 5/4/- upto 13-10-47.

Tender containing any additional condition shall not be considered.

I. S. CHOPRA,
Executive Engineer,
Bombay Aviation Division No. 1
Commerce House, Ballard Estate, BOMBAY. 5544

BOMBAY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ACCOUNTS OFFICER

APPLICATIONS are invited BEFORE 17-11-1947 from war service candidates and the existing incumbent of the post for the post of ACCOUNTS OFFICER in the Department of Industries, Bombay. PAY—SCALE:—Rs. 300-750. AGE:—Between 25 and 35 years on 1-2-1948. QUALIFICATIONS: Candidates must be qualified Registered Accountants or have a good degree in Commerce with Accounting and Auditing as optional subjects, preferably with practical experience in Accounts and Audit of about five years. Application form supplied on receipt of a large addressed envelope with 3½ annas stamps and CROSSED Postal Order for Rupee one payable to "Secretary, Bombay Public Service Commission, Bombay", who will supply full details on request. CANVASSING IN ANY FORM WILL DISQUALIFY THE CANDIDATE CONCERNED. 5541

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AUCTION SALE of about 2,000 Woolien Bush Coats and about 375 Jawahar Jackets on WEDNESDAY, the 8th instant at 3 p.m. (S.T.) at No. 72, Medows Street, Fort, under instructions from Party concerned and on account and at the risk of Messrs. K. Mahadeoprasad.

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